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A.I.C.C. BATTLE OVER MISSION'S PROPOSALS

Socialist Rally Against Working Committee's Stand

AZAD TO HAND OVER CHARGE TO JAWAHAR TO-DAY

Congress Assures Support To Indian Satyagrahis In S. Africa

Laying down his great office after six years of storm and stress during which he had steered the Congress with consumate skill, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad will move a brief resolution—the briefest perhaps in the history of the Congress—ratifying the resolution already adopted by the Working Committee on the British Cabinet Mission's proposals, when the All-India Congress Committee meets at the Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall at 2 p.m. to-day.

This was the decision arrived at by the Working Committee after a four hour meeting in the ramshackle P.W.D. hut set in a vast, rain soaked, sticky maidan at Worli, on Friday, afternoon. The meeting was convened here for the convenience of Mahatma Gandhi, who is putting up in that hut.

LEADERS' ARRIVAL

Gandhiji arrived in Bombay on Friday morning in a third class bogey switched to the Deccan Queen. He detrained at Dadar, where he was met by Mr. S. K. Patil, President and other workers of the B.P.C.C. and drove straight to Worli. Dr. Pattabhi Seetaramiah, Dr. P. C. Ghosh and Mr. Sankerrao Deo, three other members of the Working Committee, having also arrived in the city before 2 p.m. the meeting of the Committee commenced at 2 p.m. The only persons who did not attend are Dr. Rajendra Prasad, Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan, Mr. Harekrishna Mehtab and Mr. Asaf Ali. On the other hand, Mr. C. Rajagopalachari and Col. Niranjan Sing Gill, dictator of the Sikh Panth were present by special invitation.

The Congress President, Maulana Azad arrived in the city by the Calcutta Mail (via Allahabad). He detrained at Byculla at about 3 p.m., where he was received by Mr. S. K. Patil and others and went straight to the meeting of the Working Committee.

Viceroy's Letter To Azad

It is understood that Col. Gill explained the Sikh view point and extended full support to the Congress stand. After reviewing this and other reactions to its resolution in the country, the Committee had no difficulty in deciding that no change in its earlier resolution was called for. A letter received by the Congress President from the Viceroy, while the Working Committee was in session gave rise to some speculation, but it is gathered that the letter was of no great political significance.

Jawahar To Take Charge

The Working Committee also considered the procedure to be adopted at the A.I.C.C. in the matter of the new President taking office. It was decided that Maulana Azad should inaugurate the meeting and after the Secretary's minutes of the last meeting are read and confirmed, he should invite Pandit Nehru to take charge of the office of Presidentship to which he has been duly elected.

Socialist Opposition

It was further decided that Maulana Azad should move and Sardar Patel second the main resolution. It is learnt that the resolution will not have an easy passage. Radical opposition, led by the Congress Socialist

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A.I.C.C. TO GET BACK CONFISCATED FUNDS

BOMBAY, July 5. (A.P.I.): It is understood the Government of Bombay are refunding the sum of Rs. 72,000 belonging to the A.I.C.C. which was confiscated by the Government in 1942.

Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru on way to Working Committee meeting—contemplates his glasses.

ONE KILLED IN BENGAL RAIL COLLISION

CALCUTTA July 5 (UPI.) One person named Mr. B. B. Dutt of Chandpur was killed and nearly a dozen others injured at 3 a.m. when the 515 Down Passenger collided with the 5 Down Chittagong Express standing at the Chandpur Station on the morning of July 4.

It is officially stated that when during heavy rainstorm the 516 Down Passenger was steaming into Chandpur on the Laksham Chandpur branch of the B. A. Railway, it collided with an empty rake of the Down Express. The engine of the Passenger and several other carriages were damaged.

Moulana A. K. Azad, Congress President, snapped on arrival at Byculla Station on Friday.

72-Hour Curfew Again In Ahmedabad

Passengers In Tonga Stabbed During Relaxation: Death Figures Mount Up

AHMEDABAD, July 5 (A.P.I.): The District authorities have decided to extend the round the clock curfew for another 72 hours beginning from tonight again as the tension in the city manifested itself today in the form of recurring stabbing incidents and wayside assaults during the hours when the curfew was relaxed. No less than seventeen stabbing incidents marred the city's peace during the course of the day, including two fatal cases.

PEACE COMMITTEE CONSULTED

The decision to reimpose the blanket curfew was taken by the District Magistrate after a good deal of consultation with members of the Peace Committee. However, it is proposed to once again relax the curfew tomorrow for four hours from 8 a.m. until noon to enable the people to buy their rations. It was felt that without this outlet very large number of law-abiding persons would have to bear very severe hardships.

The members of the Peace Committee went round the city again today trying to pacify the people and appealing to them to avoid recriminatory talk about past incidents. Mr. S. I. Chundrigar, President of the Bombay Provincial Muslim League, is expected to arrive in the city tomorrow.

Thirty persons with various types of assault injuries have been admitted to the Civil Hospital since the morning.

Soon after the curfew was relaxed at 8 a.m. a tonga passing along the Kalupur road was waylaid and all the four passengers in it and the driver were stabbed. Following this there were other stabbing in the neighbourhood. Police authorities express the fear that the trouble may spread to other localities also.

CURFEW RELAXATIONS CANCELLED

The district authorities have cancelled the curfew relaxation in respect of all areas, where incidents occur. In the Kalupur area it was reimposed with redoubled vigour within fifteen minutes of the incidents taking place. Hundreds of law-abiding citizens who had come out of their houses to buy rations immediately took refuge in neighbouring houses.

An Associated Press correspondent driving along the Kalupur Road an hour found the place completely deserted except for the police and military guards.

MILITARY OPEN FIRE

An attempt to set fire to a temple outside Sarangpur was foiled by the prompt arrival of the police who extinguished the fire. The military opened fire last night in one area killing one person. It is stated renewed shouts and shrieks at dead of night brought the guards on duty in r rush to the spot. Such shrieks have also been heard in some other localities, according to a police officer on duty.

TOLL MOUNTS UP

The official death roll since the riots began here had by this evening mounted to 46, made up of 16 persons who died in the hospitals and 30 dead bodies actually found by the police. The total number of injured persons treated at the hospital is 303.

Three Ministers In City

POONA, July 5 (API.) Mr. Morarji Desai, Home Minister, Mr. Dinkerrao Desai Food Minister, and Mr. Gulzarilal Nanda, Labour Minister, left, for Bombay.

Mr. B. G. Kher Premier of Bombay, will leave for Bombay tomorrow morning by car and return on Monday.

"Zero Hour" Nearing In Palestine

JERUSALEM, July 5 (Reuter): At one minute to midnight three Jewish underground armies will reach their operational deadline, according to informed British Army Officers here. British soldiers have been put on the alert and are standing by, ready for any eventuality.

It is learned that the British staff plan "against a certain section of the Jewish community" provided for retaliatory action by the Jewish underground as soon as they had recovered from the shock of finding that the initiative on the Palestine question had passed into British hands.

British army officers recall that, generally, action by Jewish underground members has taken place throughout Palestine on Friday nights, giving them the Jewish Sabbath in which to effect their escape

ANOTHER ARMS DUMP UNEARTHED

Fifty thousand rounds of small arms ammunition, 32 revolvers and a large quantity of British battledress uniforms were found in a stall occupied by a bull at Meshek Yagour during a search last night.

According to a government press release, the search at Meshek Yagour also revealed: 236 grenades, 774 ballistic cartridges, 2,300 rounds of revolver ammunition, 7 discharger cups, 677 German Mortar bombs, 50 British bayonets, 3 dynamo exploders and one portble wireless transmitter.

The indications (not official) are that searches of yagour and its vicinity will continue today.

CHIEF RABBI CALLS ON ATTLEE

LONDON, July 5 (Reuter): The Chief Rabbi of Palestine, Rabbi Dr. Issac Herzog, spent nearly one hour at 10 Downing Street today with Prime Minister Attlee and the Colonial Secretary Mr. George Hall, discussing the Palestine situation.

Delhi Moves In Kashmir

POLITICAL ADVISER IN SRINAGAR

Premier Kak Meets Sardar Patel In Bombay

SRINAGAR, July 5. (A.P.I.): Sir Conrad Corfield, Political Adviser to the Crown Representative, arrived in Srinagar this morning by air from Delhi.

He is staying at the Residency for two days and then he will be the guest of H. H. the Maharaja of Kashmir.

It is not known how long Sir Conrad will stay in Kashmir.

ABDUL GHAFFAR KHAN LEAVES SRINAGAR

Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan and party are leaving for Peshawar early to-morrow morning. Yesterday Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan visited Rampur and Anantnag and saw the places where there was firing during the recent disturbances.

Mr. Asaf Ali, however, is staying on for another four or five days.

An interesting visitor to Bombay at the present juncture is Rai Bahadur Ramachandra Kak, Prime Minister of Kashmir.

Mr. Kak called on Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel before noon to-day and spent a long time with him.

Political observers attach very great significance to the talks Mr. Kak is having in Bombay and it is likely that the ban of Pt. Nehru's entry into Kashmir will soon be lifted.

Indians Jailed 'En Masse'

150 Convicted By Durban Magistrate Under Riotous Assembly Act

DURBAN, July 5 (Reuter): A total of 150 Indian passive resisters, including some women, were sentenced in the Magistrate's Court to-day to terms of imprisonment with hard labour for contravening the Riotous Assemblies Act. One hundred were sentenced during the Court's morning session and a further 50 were sentenced during the afternoon.

In the biggest batch of 50 there were five women and the sentences ranged from four months to six weeks.

One accused J. M. Francis, an ex-Serviceman read a long statement in which he referred to Indians in South Africa as a "persecuted race."

CONVICTION WITHOUT OPTION OF FINE

(From Our Correspondent)

DURBAN, July 5

Another 50 passive resisters with Mr. J. G. Joshi as leader, including three from Maritzburg, were arrested last night for occupying the land at the intersection of Umbilo Road and Gale Street under the Riotous Assemblies Act.

CONTRARY TO AXIOMS OF LAW

The arresting of passive resisters for trespassing and then preferring a charge under the Riotous Assemblies Act is declared by Indian solicitors to be contrary to axioms of law.

The arresting of passive resisters for sentenced to fine for trespass but not a single one paid their fine.

SARDAR GILL TO MEET PRESS REPRESENTATIVES

Col. Hiranjan Singh Gill, Dictator of the Sikh Council of Action, will meet the representatives of the Press at a Conference and explain the view point of the Sikh Council in regard to the British Plan, to-day (Saturday) at 9 A.M., at the Khalsa College, Matunga.

LATEST COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK COTTON (OCTOBER)
NEW YORK, July 5.

Previous Closing	31.08
Today's Opening	30.98
Difference	—10
Today's Closing	31.11
Difference	+3

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE
NEW YORK July 5.

New York Stock Exchange opening prices: General Motors 70-1/2 Anaconda Copper Mining 48 United States Steel Common 90-7/8 United Steytes Steel Preference unquoted.

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE
CALCUTTA, July 5.

The Calcutta Stock Exchange today ruled very firm round all sections along with an extensive turnover.

Stop Press

FRESH DEADLOCK?

PARIS, July 5 (Reuter): Delegates leaving the 'Big Four' Foreign Ministers conference tonight said that Ministers had been unable after more than three and a half hours discussion—to reach agreement on the form of invitations to the 21-Nation Peace Conference.

The question whether China should take part in the Peace Conference was the sole stumbling block. M. Molotov (Russia) opposed every move to include China.

Soviet-Sponsored Counter-Revolution

Indonesian Minister's Charge Against Ex-Colleague

BATAVIA, July 5. (Reuter): Dr. Mohammed Natsir, the Indonesian Minister of Information, Broadcasting from Jogjakarata to-night declared that political enemies of Dr. Sultan Shariar the Indonesian Prime Minister, had been plotting not only to overthrow Dr. Shariar, but to unseat Dr. I. R. Soekarno, President of the Republic and replace him with the Soviet trained Communist leader, Tan Malacca.

CHARGE AGAINST EX-MINISTERS

Mr. Mohammed Natsir, named Dr. Soebardjo, Foreign Minister in the First Republican Cabinet, the reputed collaborator of the Japanese, and Dr. Abikoesno, the Communications Minister in the same Cabinet, as leaders of counter-revolution.

Unsuspected complications in Indonesian internal politics mentioned in Dr. Nasir's statement is that documents found during the purge which is still continuing showed that Dr. Soebardjo intended seeking United Nations Trusteeship for Indonesia, if the plot succeeded.

Dr. Mohammed Natsir stated that the plot had been building up since October and disclosed that an earlier stroke planned for last February was foiled by counter-measures. Plotters relied on securing support from sections of armed forces, he said.

Indonesians in Batavia explain retention of dictatorial powers by Dr. Soekarno as a move by him to protect Dr. Shariar from political bitterness which might result from suppression of internal disorders by force, afterwards permitting him to resume Government with clean hands.

Subhas' Heirlooms For Jawahar

BOMBAY, July 5 (API)—A solid silver Charka (spinning wheel) which was presented to Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose in Malaya during the early days of the Azad Hind regime is now with Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru in Bombay. This and other articles including caskets, and certain original papers relating to the Azad Hind Government which were presented to Pt. Nehru by the people of Malaya during his recent visit to the Peninsula were shipped to India and they have just reached, Bombay.

The silver 'Charkha' has a story to tell. Subhas Chandra Bose wanted money for the I.N.A. and he auctioned the 'Charkha.' An Indian bid it for a lakh of rupees and treasured it safely during the troublous period. The Indian presented it to Pt. Nehru in Singapore when the latter visited Malaya in March this year.

I.N.A. MEMORIAL SLAB

A broken slab of stone with an unfinished word is another article which has reached Pt. Nehru. It is a piece recovered from the I.N.A. memorial which was built by Indians in the Singapore foreshore and subsequently demolished by Allied forces.

Nazi Plot To Murder Nuremberg Judges

LONDON, July 5 (Reuter).—A plot by seven former S.S. men to murder judges and prosecutors at the Nuremberg war crimes trial was disclosed by the United States Army newspaper, "Stars and Stripes" yesterday, the American News Service reported.

The report has been confirmed by the American Headquarters, the News Service added.

PAY COMMISSION

NEW DELHI, July 5. (API)

The Central Pay Commission, setup by the Government of India, will begin their sessions at New Delhi from Wednesday, July 10, says a Press Note.

In view of the desire expressed by the Government that the Commission should report as early as possible on the part of their reference which relates to the pay of Central Government employees. It is expected that the Commission, after a short discussion of preliminaries regarding procedure, etc. will immediately start their deliberations. After considering the large mass of material which has been collected and the tentative suggestions received, the Commission are expected to issue a detailed questionnaire to elicit opinion of all sections.

Greek Monarchists Raid Alonissos Island

ATHENS, July 5 (UPA)—The Ministry of Security officially announced today that a Monarchist band 50, strong, crossing the sea by motorboats landed on the island of Alonissos—in the Sporades islands group—killing one and kidnapping five, of which one committed suicide. All victims were leftists.

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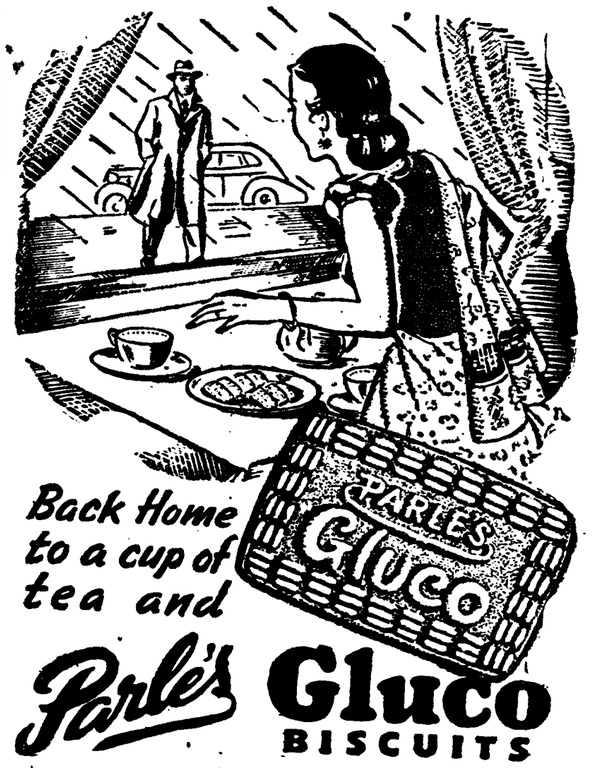

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3	Biscuit Square type C	24×2 lb. case	0 8 0	Do.
4	Butter Scotch Powder	4½ lb. can	1 12 0	Can.
5	Bar Chocolate Dutch	Can No. 10	3 6 0	Can.
6	Butter Scotch Supreme	6 lb.	0 12 0	Per lb.
7	Candy Hard	8×5 lb. case	0 8 0	Do.
8	Candy Hard Cello Square.	Pkt.	0 10 0	Per pkt.
9	Candy Hard trop coated butter finger.	each	0 2 0	each.
10	Candy Hard assorted	9 oz. pkt.	0 10 0	Per pkt.
11	Candy	lb.	0 8 0	lb.
12	Candy Gum Chuckle jellies	Pkt.	0 4 0	Per pkt.
13	Candy assorted Drops	Do.	0 8 0	lbs.
14	Candy Equater Bar	Bar	0 2 0	Per bar.
15	Candy Dutch Bar	Do.	0 2 0	Do.
16	Candy Sour Bar	Pkt.	0 10 0	Per pkt.
17	Candy Cough Drops black.	Do.	0 2 0	Do.
18	Candy Lemon Drops.	Do.	0 8 0	lb.
19	Candy fruit Drops life savers.	Roll	0 [illegible] 0	Per Roll.
20	Candy Fruit Drop	Pkt.	0 10 0	Per pkt.
21	Candy Nacco Waffers	Roll	0 2 0	Per Roll.
22	Candy Peacon Caramel	Each	0 2 0	Each.
23	Candy Nut Caramel	Do.	0 2 0	Do.
24	Candy peanut Bar	Do.	0 2 0	Do.
25	Candy Bar	Do.	0 2 0	Do.
26	Candy Solid Chocolate	Do.	0 2 0	Do.
27	Candy medium Gum M. N. Rolls.	Roll	0 2 0	Per Roll.
28	Cellry Salt	4 oz. Can	0 6 0	Per Can.
29	Cookies Chocolate	Pkt.	0 2 0	Per Pkt.
30	Cookies Pretzil Stick	Do.	0 10 0	Do.
31	Cookies fig Newton	Do.	0 6 0	Do.
32	Cookies pretzil little	Do.	0 6 0	Do.
33	Cookies Butter	Pkt.	0 10 0	Pkt.
34	Chocolate	5 lb. Can	2 8 0	Per Can.
35	Cracker cris bus	Pkt.	0 10 0	Pkt.
36	Cracker toast cheese	Pkt.	0 10 0	Pkt.
37	Cracker Whole Wheat	12×2 lb.	0 6 0	Per lb.
38	Desert Powder with gelatine Straw Berry.	6×6 lb. case	2 4 0	Per Can.
39	Desert Powder with gelatine Lemon.	Do.	2 4 0	Do.
40	Desert Powder with Starch Butter Scotch	6×5 lb. case.	1 14 0	Do.
41	Ditto	6×6 lb. case	2 4 0	Do.
42	Desert Powder with Starch Chocolate.	6×5 lb. case	1 14 0	Do.
43	Desert Powder with Starch Vanilla	8×5 lb. case	1 14 0	Do.
44	Ditto	6×5 lb. case	1 14 0	Do.
45	Ditto	6×6 lb. case	2 4 0	Do.
46	Desert Powder Pudding Vanilla	5 lbs. Can	1 14 0	Do.
47	Desert Powder Choc.	5 lb. Can.	1 14 0	Per Can.
48	Desert Powder Butter Scotch	Do.	1 14 0	Do.
49	Desert Powder with Lemon or Plain.	9 lb. Can.	3 6 0	Do.
50	Extract Vanilla	4×1 Gallon case	20 0 0	Each jar of one gallon.
51	Extract Lemon	48×8 oz. case	0 8 0	Per bottle.
52	Gum beach nut	Pkt.	0 2 0	Per pkt.
53	Gum orbit chewing	Pkt.	0 2 0	Per pkt.
54	Linseed pigeon Ration	Lb.	0 1 0	Per lb.
55	Lemon Juice Powder	48×12 oz. case	0 8 0	Per can.
56	Maple Flavour Tablets	2 oz. can.	0 1 0	Per can.
57	Multi Vitamin Tablets	Bottle of 200 each	10 0 0	200 Tablets.
58	Vanilla Tab	2 oz, can	0 4 0	Per 2 oz. Can.
59	Vanilla Tab. Flavouring	Can of 192 Tab	5 0 0	Per 192 Tablets.
60	Macroni	2×15 lb. Case	0 4 0	Per lb.
61	Orange Crystal	48×14 oz. case	1 0 0	Per can.
62	Peenut Salted	Can	0 9 0	Per Can.
63	Powder concentrated Lemon	12 oz. can	0 8 0	Do.
64	Ditto	7 grain can	0 1 0	Do.
65	Ditto	11 oz. can	0 8 0	Do.
66	Powder Concentrated Orange	12 oz. can	0 8 0	Do.
67	Powder Desert Strawberry	5 lbs. can	1 14 0	Per can.
68	Ration D.	1×34 case	2 8 0	Per 12 bar can.
69	Ditto	4 oz. bar	0 4 0	Per bar.
70	Ration K	1×12 case	0 8 0	Per packet.
71	Ration 10 in one	Menu No. 1 case	24 0 0	Per case.
72	Ration 10 in one	Menu No. 2 case	24 0 0	Do.
73	Ditto	Menu No. 3 case	24 0 0	Do.
74	Ditto	Menu No. 4 case	24 0 0	Per case.
75	Ditto	Menu No. 5 case	24 0 0	Do.
76	Spaghetti	2×20 lbs. case	0 6 0	Per lb.
77	Strawberry extract	One gallon jar	20 0 0	Gal. jar.
78	Vanilla	6 lbs. can	2 0 0	Per can.
79	Ditto	5 lbs. can	1 12 0	Per can.
80	Yeast dehy	6×4 lbs. case	1 3 0	per lb.
81	Yeast dehy. and granulated	4 lbs. can	1 3 0	Do.
82	Yeast	Lb.	1 3 0	Do.

B.—BEVERAGES & SOUPS

1	Bouillion Cubes	60×100's Case	2 8 0	Can 100 Cubes.
2	Cocoa	6×5 lb. Case	11 0 0	Case.
3	Ditto	9×4 lb. Case	12 9 0	Do.
4	Ditto	1 lb. Pkt.	0 6 0	Pkt.
5	Cocoa Beverage	16 Oz. Can	0 6 0	Can.
6	Coffee R. & G.	2×15 lb. Case	1 4 0	Lb.
7	Coffee Sol.	4 Oz. Can	0 12 0	Can.
8	Coffee Beans	Lb.	0 8 0	Lb.
9	Chicken Soup	10½ Oz. Can	0 8 0	Can.
10	Cream of Tomato Soup	10½ Oz. Can	0 8 0	Do.
11	Cream of Mushroom Soup	No. 1 Can	0 10 0	Do.
12	Ditto.	10½ Oz. Can	0 8 0	Do.
13	Mushroom Soup	Do.	0 8 0	Do.
14	Total Soup (Chicken, Mushroom & Tomato).	Do.	0 8 0	Do.
15	Soup Navy Beans	6×5 Lb. Case	2 8 0	Can.
16	Soup Dehy Navy Beans	Lb.	0 8 0	lb.
17	Soup Dehy Pea	Lb.	0 8 0	Do.
18	Soup Yellow Pea	6×5 lb. Case	2 8 0	Can.
19	Soup Green Pea	6×5 lb. Case	2 8 0	Do.
20	Soup Vegetable	6×7 Lb. Case	3 8 0	Do.
21	Soup Vegetable Mixed	No. 1 Can	0 8 0	Can.
22	Soup Vegetable Mixed	4½ Oz. Can	0 4 0	Do.
23	Soup Tomato	10½ Oz. Can	0 8 0	Do.
24	Tea British	Lbs.	0 12 0	Lb.
25	Tea	Lbs.	0 12 0	Do.

C.—CEREALS ETC.

1	Corn Starch	40×1 lbs. case	0 6 0	Lb.
2	Corn	10 lbs. can	2 3 0	Can.
3	Ditto	2 Lbs. can	0 7 0	Can
4	Corn whole grain	6×10 lbs. case	1 4 0	Can.
5	Corn meal	24×24 oz. case	0 4 0	24 ozs.
6	Cereal individual	200×1 oz. case	0 1 0	1 oz. pkt.
7	Cereal whole wheat	18×32 oz. case	0 8 0	Pkt.
8	Cereal whole wheat	24×28 oz. case	0 7 0	Pkt.
9	Cereal whole wheat	18×28 oz. case	0 7 0	Pkt.
10	Ditto.	24×26 oz. case	0 7 0	Do.
11	Ditto.	24×28 oz. case	0 7 0	Do.
12	Ditto.	56 ozs. pkt.	0 14 0	Do.
13	Cereal assorted dry	Pkt.	0 1 0	Oz. pkt.
14	Cereal C & F.	Lb.	0 8 0	Lb.
15	Cereal Malt	Pkt. oz.	0 1 0	Pkt.
16	Cereal wheat uncooked	Lb.	0 4 0	Lb.
17	Cereal wheat whole uncooked	Lb.	0 4 0	Lb.
18	Ditto.	Type one A 28 oz.	0 7 0	Pkt.
19	Ditto.	Type 3 A 28 oz.	0 7 0	Pkt.
20	Ditto.	Type one 28 oz.	0 7 0	Pkt.
21	Ditto.	Type 3 B 26 oz.	0 7 0	pkt.
22	Corn refined	No. 10 can	2 0 0	Can.
23	Ditto.	4 lbs. 12 ozs	1 0 0	Can.
24	Hominy	2×20 lbs. case	10 0 0	Per can.
25	Hominy dehy.	Lbs.	0 12 0	Lb.
26	Ditto.	No. 10 can	6 14 0	Can.
27	Oats rolled	10×3 lbs. case	0 12 0	Pkt.
28	Ditto.	10×3½ lbs. case	0 14 0	Pkt.
29	Ditto.	20×24 oz. case	0 6 0	Do.
30	Permixed cereal	10 oz. can	0 2 0	Can.
31	Wheat uncooked	Lb.	0 9 0	2 lbs.
32	Whole wheat uncooked	28 ozs.	0 7 0	Pkt.

D.—FATS AND OILS

1	Lard	1×37 lb. case	18 8 0	Per can.
2	Lard substitute	37 lb. can	18 8 0	Per can.
3	Lard warstyle	lb.	0 8 0	Lb.
4	Oil vegetable salad	can.	1 5 0	Can.
5	Ditto	5 gallon can	36 0 0	5 gallons can.
6	Oil Cotton seed	Can.	1 0 0	Can.

E.—FRUITS AND FRUIT JUICES

1	Apricots Evaporated	24×1½ lb. case	24 0 0	Per case.
2	Ditto.	6×6½ lb. case	24 0 0	Do.
3	Ditto.	2 lb. pkg.	1 0 0	Per pkg.
4	Ditto	6×10 lb. case	6 0 0	Can.
5	Ditto.	2½ lb. can	1 9 0	Do.
6	Apricots Dried	lb.	0 10 0	Per lb.
7	Apricots Dehydrated	6½ lb. pkt.	3 4 0	Per pkt.
8	Apple Nuggets, Dehy.	2×10 lb. case	10 0 0	Per can.
9	Apple Nuggets	12½ lb. can	9 8 0	Can.
10	Apple Evaporated	No. 10 can	7 8 0	Per can.
11	Apple dried	6×10 can	7 8 0	Do.
12	Cran-Berries, Dehy.	12×1 lb. case	1 4 0	Do.
13	Cherries	6×10 lb. case	5 0 0	Per can.
14	Fruit Cocktail	6×10 lb. case	4 0 0	Per can.
15	Grape Fruit	No. 2 can	0 10 0	Per can.
16	Grape Fruit Juice	24×2 lb. case	0 10 0	Per can.
17	Ditto.	12×46 oz. case	1 0 0	Per can.
18	Ditto.	No. 10 can	3 0 0	Do.
19	Grape Juice	10 lb. can	3 0 0	Do.
20	Ditto.	46 oz.	1 0 0	Do.
21	Juice Orange	48×12 oz.	0 8 0	Do.
22	Juice Orange	12×46 oz. can	1 4 0	Per can.
23	Juice Blended	2 lb. can.	0 10 0	Can.
24	Juice Tomato Cocktail Dehy	No. 10 can	5 14 0	Do.
25	Juice Tonfato	6×10 lb. can	2 0 0	Do.
26	Ditto.	2½ lb. can	0 8 0	Do.
27	Ditto.	47 oz. can	0 10 0	Do.
28	Prunes Evaporated	24×2 lb.	1 4 0	Per pkt.
29	Ditto	7 lb. can	4 0 0	Per can.
30	Ditto	7½ lb. can	4 4 0	Do.
31	Ditto	2½ lb. pkt.	1 9 0	Per pkt.
32	Prunes dried	No. 2 pkt.	1 4 0	Do.
33	Ditto	lb.	0 10 0	Per lb.
34	Prunes Fresh	No. 10 can	5 12 0	Per can.
35	Pineapple Juice	6×10 lb.	3 0 0	Do.
36	Ditto	2 lb. can	0 12 0	Do.
37	Ditto	46 oz. can	1 2 0	Do.
38	Pineapple	6×10 lb. case	3 0 0	Do.
39	Ditto	24×2 lb. case	1 0 0	Do.
40	Ditto	No. 2½ can	1 2 0	Do.
41	Pineapple Slice	No. 2½ can	0 12 0	Do.
42	Ditto	No. 10 can	3 0 0	Do.
43	Peaches	24×2½ lb. case	1 4 0	Do.
44	Ditto	6×10 lb. can	4 0 0	Do.
45	Peaches Evaporated	2×1½ lb. case	1 0 0	Do.
46	Peaches Dehydrated	6½ lb. pkg.	2 0 0	Per pkg.
47	Pears	6×10 lb. case	3 0 0	Per can.
48	Ditto	2½ lb. can	1 0 0	Do.
49	Orange Grape Fruit Juice	24×2 lb. case	0 12 0	Do.
50	Ditto	10 lb. can	3 0 0	Do.
51	Ditto	12×46 oz. can	1 2 0	Do.
52	Orange Grape Fruit	No. 5 can	1 8 0	Do.
53	Rasins	6×7 lb. case	4 8 0	Do.
54	Strawberry	9 lb. can	5 0 0	Do.

F.—MEAT

1	Bacon	6×5½ lb. case	7 0 0	Per can.
2	Ditto	6×7½ lb. case	9 0 0	Do.
3	Ditto	6×14 lb. case	16 0 0	Do.
4	Bacon Smoked	5½ lb. can	7 0 0	Do.
5	Beef Corned	48×12 oz. case	0 8 0	Do.
6	Ditto	12×6 lb. case	3 0 0	Do.
7	Beef Fresh Roast	6 lb. can	3 12 0	Can.
8	Beef Frozen	lb.	0 8 0	Lb.
9	Beef and Gravy	30 oz. can	1 4 0	Per can.
10	Chilly Con Corne	6×10 lb. case	3 0 0	Can.
11	Chilly Con Corne W/Beans	5½ lb. can	1 12 0	Can.
12	Ditto	No. 10 can	3 0 0	Do.
13	Ditto	No. 6½ can	2 0 0	Do.
14	Frankfurters	22 oz. can	1 8 0	Per can.
15	Luncheon Meat	18×40 oz. case	1 8 0	Do.
16	Ditto	6×6 lb. case	3 0 0	Do.
17	Mutton Corned	12×6 lb. case	3 0 0	Do.
18	Mince Meat	6×10 lb. case	2 8 0	Do.
19	Meat and Vegetable	lb.	0 6 0	Do.
20	Meat and Beans	12 oz.	0 6 0	Do.
21	Pork and Gravy	24×30 oz. case	1 0 0	Do.
22	Ditto	2½ lb. can	1 4 0	Do.
23	Pork and Beans	24×2½ lb. case	0 12 0	Do.
24	Pork Soya link	2 lb. can	0 12 0	Do.
25	Pork Sausage	34 oz. can	1 8 0	Do.
26	Ditto	36 oz. can	1 10 0	Do.
27	Ditto	2 lb. can	1 6 0	Do.
28	Pork Luncheon Meat	12 oz. can	0 8 0	Do.
29	Ditto	6 lb. can	3 0 0	Do.
30	Ditto	40 oz. can	1 8 0	Do.
31	Stew Meat and Vegetable	30 oz. can	0 10 0	Do.
32	Sausage Vienna	24×24 oz. case	1 8 0	Do.
33	Ditto	5 lb. can	4 8 0	Do.

G—MILK PRODUCTS

1	Butter	6×6½ lbs. Case	5 8 0	Can.
2	Butter	6×6½ Lbs. Case	5 8 0	Can.
3	Butter Army Spread	6×6 lbs. 9 Oz. Case	5 8 0	Can.
4	Butter Stabilised	No. 10 Can	5 8 0	Can.
5	Butter Preserved	6½ Lbs. Can.	5 8 0	Can.
6	Cheese	Lb.	0 14 0	Lb.
7	Cheese Processed	6×7 Lbs. Case	6 0 0	Can.
8	Ice Cream Mix.	Lb.	1 4 0	Lb.
9	Milk Dry Powder Whole	12×5 Lbs.	5 0 0	Can.
10	Milk Dry Powder Skim	2×30 Lbs. Case	0 8 0	Lb.
11	Milk Powder Whole	50 Lbs. Drum	1 0 0	Lb.
12	Milk Evaporated	48×1 Lbs. Case	0 8 0	Can.
13	Milk Malted	24×1 Lbs. Case	1 0 0	Can.
14	Milk Malted Tablets	14 Oz Can.	0 13 0	Can.
15	Milk Sugar	Lb.	1 4 0	Lb.
16	Powder Ice Cream	4½ Lbs.	5 12 0	Per can.

H.—POULTRY, FISH AND EGGS

1	Chicken Boned	35 Oz. Can.	4 0 0	Can.
2	Poultry Seasoning	4 Oz. Can	0 2 0	Do.
3	Turkey Boned	35 Oz. Can	4 8 0	Do.
4	Fish Herrings	48×13 Oz. Case	0 8 0	Do.
5	Salmon	48×1 Lb. Case	0 10 0	Can.
6	Tuna Fish	48×7 Oz. Case	0 10 0	Do.
7	Ditto	13 Oz. Can	1 2 0	Do.
8	Eggs Dry Whole	6×3 Lb. Case	5 0 0	Per can.
9	Egg Powder	3 Lbs. Can	2 0 0	Per can.
10	Egg Dehy	Lb.	1 12 0	Per Lb.

I.—SPICES, PICKLES & SAUCES.

1	Apple Sauce	No. 10 Can	1 8 0	Can.
2	Cloves Whole	4 Oz. Can.	0 8 0	Per Can.
3	Cloves Ground	30×4 Oz. Case	0 8 0	Can.
4	Cloves	4 Oz. Pkt.	0 8 0	Per Pkt.
5	Cinnamon	48×4 Oz. Case	1 0 0	Per 4 Oz. Can.
6	Cinnamon Ground	4 Oz. Can	1 0 0	Per 4 Oz. Can.
7	Condiment Powder	Lb.	1 8 0	Per Lb.
8	Cranberry Sauce	No. 10 Can	6 0 0	Per Can.
9	Ditto	2½ Lb. Can.	1 12 0	Per Can.
10	Ginger Ground	48×4 Oz. Case	0 7 0	Per 4 Oz. Pkt.
11	Mustard Ground	Do. Case	0 4 0	Per Can.
12	Mustard Powder British.	1 Lb. Can	1 8 0	Do. Can.
13	Nutmeg Ground	48×4 Oz. Case	0 12 0	Do. Can.
14	Pepper Black	48×8 Oz. Case	0 8 0	Do. Can.
15	Ditto	24×1 Lb. Case	1 0 0	Do. Can.
16	Pickle Sweet	1 Gall. Can	2 0 0	Per Can.
17	Pickle Sweet Mixed	5×1 Gall. Case	2 0 0	Per Can.
18	Pickle Relish Sweet	1 Gall. Can	2 0 0	Per Can.
19	Ditto	10 Lbs. Can	2 0 0	Per Can.
20	Pickle Relish	6×1 Gall.	2 0 0	Per Gall.
21	Pickle Sweet Mixed	4×10 Lb.	2 0 0	Per Can.
22	Ditto	5×1 Gall.	2 0 0	Per Can.
23	Salt American	18×3 Lb. Case	0 8 0	Per Pkt.
24	Ditto	6×10 Lbs. Bag	0 12 0	Per Bag.
25	Salt British	80 Lbs. Bag	0 2 0	Per Lb.
26	Salt Evaporated	20 Lbs. Bag	1 4 0	Per Bag.
27	Salt Tablets	1,000 Tablets	2 8 0	Per 1,000 Tablets.
28	Sauce Worcestershire	24×1 Lb. Case	0 10 0	Bottle.
29	Sauce Kitchen	12 Oz. Can.	0 4 0	Per Can.
30	Ditto	16 Oz. Bottle	0 5 0	Per Bottle.
31	Spices Kitchen	Each 1,000 Ration	24 12 0	Case of 1,000 Rations.
32	Tomato Catsup	6×10 Lbs. Can	3 0 0	Per Can.
33	Vinegar	12×1 Case	1 8 0	Per Bott.
34	Vinegar Concentrated	Bottle	1 0 0	Per Bottle.

J.— SUGAR, SYRUPS, SPREADS, JAMS AND JELLIES

1	Apple Butter	6×10 lbs. case	2 0 0	Can.
2	Peanut Butter	Do.	3 12 0	Can.
3	Glucose	12×2½ lbs. case	1 0 0	Can.
4	Glucose Corn Syrup	22 ozs. can	0 6 0	Can.
5	Syrup Corn refined	10 lbs.	1 4 0	Can.
6	Syrup type 2	6×10 lbs. case	3 8 0	Can.
7	Syrup	5 lbs. can	0 12 0	Can.
8	Syrup	10 lbs. can	1 8 0	Can.
9	Jelly apple-grape	6×10 lbs. case	2 8 0	Can.
10	Jelly assorted	Can No. 10	2 8 0	Can.
11	Jelly crystals	1½ ozs. Pkt.	0 4 0	Pkt.
12	Jam Appricot	6×10 lbs.	2 8 0	Can.
13	Jam Fig	Ditto	2 8 0	Do.
14	Jam Grape	Ditto	2 8 0	Do.
15	Jam peaches	Ditto	2 8 0	Do.
16	Jam assorted	Ditto	2 8 0	Do.
17	Jam Prunes	No. 10 can	2 8 0	Do.
18	Marmalade	6×10 lbs. case	3 12 0	Do.
19	Marmalade orange	10 lbs. can	3 12 0	Do.
20	Sugar	48×1 lbs. case	0 12 0	Pkt.
21	Sugar Brown	48×1 lbs. case	0 12 0	Pkt.
22	Sugar 4X	1 lb. pkt.	0 6 0	Pkt.
23	Sugar powdered	1 lb. pkt.	0 6 0	Pkt.

K.—VEGETABLES OF ALL KINDS

1	Asparagus	2½ lbs. can	1 8 0	Can.
2	Do.	2 lbs. can	1 4 0	Do.
3	Do.	10 lbs. can	6 0 0	Do.
4	Beans Dry Lima	50 lbs. bag	12 8 0	Per bag
5	Beans Dry Red	50 lbs. bag	12 8 0	Do.
6	Beans Dry white	Ditto	12 8 0	Do.
7	Beans Dry Pink	Ditto	12 8 0	Do.
8	Beans Dry Red Kidney	Ditto	12 8 0	Do.
9	Beans Baked White	2 lbs. Can	0 10 0	Can.
10	Beans String	6×10 lb. Case	1 4 0	Do.
11	Beans String	No. 2 Can	0 8 0	Do.
12	Beans Lima	6×10 Lbs. Case	2 8 0	Do.
13	Beans Green Strained	No. 2 Can	0 8 0	Do.
14	Beans Green	10 Lbs. Can	0 4 0	Do.
15	Beans with Tomato Sauce	15½ oz.	0 8 0	Do.
16	Beans Dehydrated Navy	5 Lbs.	1 0 0	Do.
17	Beets Dehydrated	2×14 Lb. Case	3 8 0	Do.
18	Beets	6×10 Lb. Case	2 0 0	Do.
19	Do.	24×2 Lbs. case	0 8 0	Do.
20	Do.	2½ Lbs. Can	0 10 0	Do.
21	Beets Puree	No. 2 Can	0 6 0	Do.
22	Cabbages Dehydrated	2×12 Lbs. Case	1 12 0	Per lb.
23	Carrots Dehydrated	2×20 Lbs. Case	1 2 0	lb.
24	Carrots	6×10 Lbs. Case	2 0 0	Can.
25	Carrots Puree	No. 2 Lb. Can	0 8 0	Do.
26	Carrots sliced	No. 10	1 4 0	Do.
27	Noodles	2×10 Lbs. Case	2 8 0	Do.
28	Onions Dehydrated	10×2 Lb. Case	1 0 0	Do.
29	Onions Dehydrated Flakes	Ditto.	1 0 0	Do.
30	Peas	24×2 Lb. Case	1 0 0	Do.
31	Peas Strained	No. 2 Can	1 2 0	Do.
32	Peas.	10 Lb. Can	2 0 0	Do.
33	Peas Green	No. 2 Can	0 8 0	Do.
34	Peas Puree	No. 2 Can	0 8 0	Do.
35	Peas Dry	1 Lb.	0 4 0	Lb.
36	Peas Dehydrated Yellow	4 1/4 Lb. Pkt.	1 2 0	Per Pkt.
37	Pump-kin	24×2½ Lbs. Case	0 8 0	Can.
38	Potatoes White Dehydrated	15 Lb. Can	1 4 0	Lb.
39	Potatoes Sweet Dehydrated	20 Lb. Can	1 5 0	Do.
40	Potatoes Dehydrated Julianna	15 Lbs.	1 4 0	Do.
41	Potatoes Dehydrated Shredded	17½ Lbs.	1 1 0	Do.
42	Potatoes White	2×10 Lb. Case	1 5 0	Do.
43	Potatoes Sweet	20 Lbs.	1 5 0	Do.
44	Spinach	6×10 Lbs.	1 0 0	Can.
45	Spinach Puree	No. 2 Can	0 4 0	Do.
46	Spinach Strained	2 Lbs. Can	0 4 0	Do.
47	Sauerkraut	6×10 Lb. Case	1 4 0	Do.
48	Tomatoes	24×2 Lb. Case	0 8 0	Do.
49	Do.	6×10 Lbs. Case	1 12 0	Do.
50	Do.	2½ Lb. Can	0 9 0	Do.
51	Tomatoes Puree	6×10 Lb. Case	2 0 0	Do.
52	Turnip Green	2 Lbs. Can	0 8 0	Do.
53	Vegetable mixed	No. 2 Can	0 8 0	Do.
54	Vegetable Puree	Ditto	0 8 0	Do.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS ECHO

Adiwasi Sentenced For Impersonation

(From Our Correspondent)

DAHANU, July 2: An echo of the Assembly elections was heard in the court of the local magistrate when an Adiwasi peasant was sentenced to undergo imprisonment for one month and a fine of Rs. 100 (in default R.I. for one month). The said Adiwasi was handed over to the police by an agent of Mr. V. V. Kirtane local Congress leader. The Adiwasi insisted on voting for his father, who he said was ill. He was arrested and sentenced as above. This incident has created a stir among the Adiwasis who are under the impression that it was the Congress men who got them arrested. The Communists, I understand, are going to appeal against this decision, on behalf of the Adiwasi.

TENANCY ACT AND POPULAR MINISTRIES

(From Our Correspondent)

DAHANU, July 2: Tenancy Act will shortly be modified by the present Ministry in the light of the experience gained by them. Section 15 of the said act empowers government to fix the maximum rates of rent in specified areas.

After the last agrarian trouble in Dahanu, Umbergaon and Palghar Talukas of the Thana District, Government feel it necessary to fix the maximum rate of rent in these areas. It is understood that Tenancy Act is now applied to the whole province and as such Government can fix the maximum rent under Section 15 of the said Act. Instructions are issued, I understand, to the taluka officers to invite meetings with a view to ascertaining public opinion, before fixing the maximum rent. At Palghar a similar meeting was held and it was decided that government should be requested to scale down the present rate by 25 per cent. Government decisions are anxiously awaited by landlords as well as tenants and their leaders.

Partially Excluded Areas Need Prohibition

(From Our Correspondent)

DAHANU, July 1: The popular Ministry is expected to take some immediate steps to ameliorate the grievances of the Adiwasis in the partially excluded areas of the Thana District. It is to be presumed that the Ministers have certainly chalked out a programme to better the conditions of the Adiwasis, who have suffered in silence for the last several years. Prohibition should find the top place in any such programme.

It is absolutely essential that prohibition should be immediately introduced in the following places in the Thana District Dahanu, Umbergaon, Palghar, and Wada Talukas and Mokhada Pet. In these five talukas the Adiwasis form the bulk of population.

If prohibition is to be introduced in these places, it will be necessary to secure full-hearted co-operation of these states which are bordering these taluka. Jawhar and Dharampore are the two States which lie on the borders of the Talukas referred to above. No programme of prohibition will succeed, if these States do not give effective co-operation. It will be a hard job to prevent smuggling of liquor from these States. If willing co-operation is not forth coming, Government should withdraw all the facilities they may be giving to these states.

Some parts of the above places lie on the borders of Daman (Portuguese territory). A chain of chowkies with vigilant guards will have to be instituted on these borders.

If prohibition is to be introduced in these areas, Government should not issue permits to the addicts. This should be stopped.

Persons smelling liquor should be penalised; otherwise the Adiwasis are in the habit of going on long distance hikes for a glass of liquor.

Deterrent punishment should be inflicted on all those who break the provisions of law.

Mohara flowers should be collected by Government and destroyed; otherwise the Adiwasis will trade in illicit distillation of liquor. They are skilled in doing this.

Prohibition guards should be selected from the members of the public to help the authorities.

Adiwasis should be educated by visual aids to abstain from drink. School teachers and pupils should be invited to stage scenes describing the evil effects of drink. Lantern lectures will prove to be very useful.

REPRESSION IN GOA

(From A Correspondent).

The Portuguese authorities in an attempt to stop a public meeting which was to be held on the evening of June 30 in Margao, Goa, at Dr

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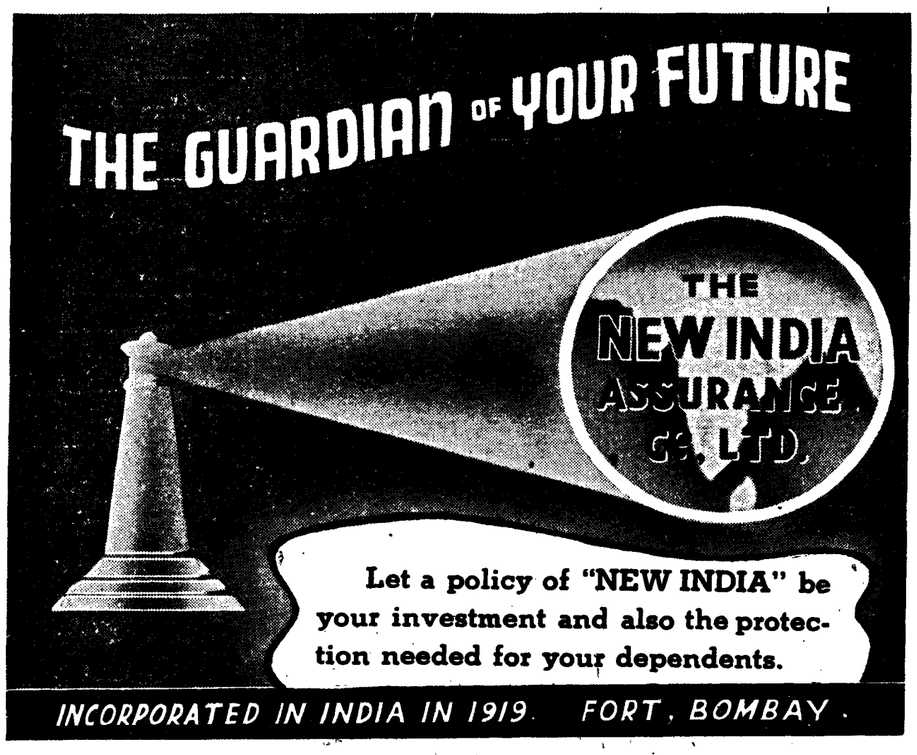

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Moslem In London Sentenced For Assisting German Prisoners

LONDON, July 4. (Reuter): Dost Mahommed an Indian living at Deal, Kent, told the Deal magistrate today that he met two escaped German war prisoners late at night and took them to his home where his wife fed them.

Dost Mahommed, who was sentenced to three months' imprisonment on each of two charges accusing him of harbouring and unlawfully giving assistance and thereby hindering apprehension of prisoners in April, said "I am a Moslem and my religion says that I must help people who are hungry."

The sentences on Mahommed are to run concurrently.

Mahommed said in broken englisn that one of the prisoners told him he was a German. The other said he was a Dutchman and as the war was over they both wanted to get home or to Argentine or Ireland. Both said they were starving and they slept in his house. The next day after giving them suits and clothes he escorted them across London and took them to Birmingham. They all stayed the night, and the following day he put them on the train for Fishguard. He paid all the fares and gave them money.

He added, "I cannot read or write and know nothing about law. I thought they were wearing American uniforms."

A police officer said that he arrested the two men in bed at a Fishguard Hotel. Both had registered as Irish nationals.

BR. GIRLS' ROMANCE WITH ITALIAN P.O.W.s

More Than 100 Brides-To-Be Apply For Visas To Italy

LONDON, July 4. (Reuter): More than a hundred British girls who want to wed Italian war prisoners, have applied for visas to go to Italy to overcome the ban on such marriages in this country. Thirty brides-to-be have already left, the Italian Embassy revealed to-day. With the repatriation of Italian prisoners scheduled for completion by the end of this month, a big increase in the applications for visas is anticipated.

Though enemy war prisoner are not allowed to marry in Britain the ban cannot stifle romance. Applications for visas according to an Italian Embassy spokesman "come from all types of girls, some from very good homes. Several are former land army girls who met their fiances in fields and on farms".

The Embassy issues the visa on the production of a British passport by a girl and declaration from the repatriated prisoner of his intention to marry, endorsed by an official of his home town. If the prospective bride has not such a declaration, she has to fill in a form identifying the future husband and wait possibly a couple of months while investigations are made.

"Time And Tide" Criticises Congress

LONDON, July 5. (Reuter): Few of the recognised popular leaders of India have come out of the recent test with honours, says the rightwing weekly 'Time and Tide' today. "But those with least are Pandit Nehru and his colleagues."

"Narrow doctrinaire and in many respects plain stupid politically, they resolutely decline to accept responsibility for anything but the new India of their 'own ambitions—the India, the whole conception of which will be bitterly opposed by section of people far too powerful.

"By refusing to enter the Interim Government", the article adds "they escape responsibility to retain their privilege of immoderate criticism and reserve perpetual rights of rejection of everything that does not correspond 100 per cent to their own blueprint for a Congress dominated India."

Captain Arrested For Investigation

SAN FRANCISCO, July 4. (U. P. A.): Twelfth Naval District officials to-day revealed the arrest of Capt. Ralph Robinson a Marine Corps Post Exchange Officer for investigation on charges that he diverted an estimated amount of a million dollars worth of Government property.

Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit snapped as she alighted from the plane at Santa Cruz. Seen besides, are Mrs. Pheroz Gandhi and Miss Chandralekha.

21-NATION CONFERENCE ON 29TH

'Big Four' Foreign Ministers Surmount Another Big Hurdle

PARIS, July 5. (Reuter): The "Big Four" Foreign Ministers—British, Soviet, the United States and French surmounted another big hurdle today when they agreed in principle to the Three-Point Soviet claim to reparations from Italy.

The three points are: Italy will pay Russia 100,000,000 dollars, the payment to be spread over seven years; The payment to be made out of current production but this will not apply during the first two years; The ministers agreed that these reparations would not interfere with Italian recovery or constitute additional liability to other Allies.

The ministers decided that full dress Peace Conference of the 21-nation will begin in Paris on July 29.

The ministers concluded their meeting after a seven and a half hours session at 13-40 a.m. and will meet again at 4 p.m. to-day at Luxembourg Palace.

The agenda for to-day is not known, but if they follow the existing formal agenda, they will take up the German questions.

ACCIDENTAL BOMB EXPLOSION

25-Year-Old Man Seriously Injured

NOAKHALI, July 3. (API): The third accidental bomb explosion to occur in this area during the last two weeks is reported today.

A 25-year-old resident of Charfakira, about nine miles from Noakhali on the sea coast, picked up a curious looking object on the shore. While he was handling it there was an explosion, and he was seriously injured, his hands being blown off. He died in the Sardar Hospital within 15 minutes of admission.

One died and 10 persons were injured in a similar accident in Abdullapur village on June 29. 10 days before, two persons in the Sandvip area were injured when examining a heavy object which was brought up in their fishing net.

Cowheras near Noakhali last week picked up an object, believed to be a bomb and deposited it with the Kotwal. The latter buried it underground pending its examination by experts.

ACCIDENT TO GANDHIJI'S TRAIN

Investigations Proceeding

(From A Special Correspondent)

NERAL, Friday, July 5.

An impression has been created by recent press reports in connection with the attempt to wreck Mahatma Gandhi's special train that the authorities have come to the definite conclusion that the mischief was the work of the usual wagon looters and that there was no political significance behind the accident.

Seeing, however, that brisk police investigation was still proceeding at Neral railway station and on the scene of occurrence, I approached Mr. V. B. Shanbhaug, Superintendent of Police of the Kolaba district, who is camping at Neral and who has also been entrusted by the Government with enquiries in this connection. I asked him if the investigations had actually indicated that the accident was not a politic outrage. Mr. Shanbhaug definitely gave me to understand that the issue is 'still' very much open and that the authorities have not in haste arrived at any facile conclusions. The usual tactics of the wagon looters, it is significant, were absent in this case. For example, while in the past the wagon looters have in almost all cases tied up signals to stop the goods trains, in this particular case there was no tampering with the signals at all. He further stated that all the possibilities including the possibility that it may be a political outrage are explored. It is only after the different political possibilities have been eliminated on the strength of the investigations made that will it be possible for the authorities to arrive at a definite conclusion as to the exact nature of the offence. Mr. Shanbhaug further informed me that after he had seen press reports to the effect that the accident was the work of the wagon looters he had had detailed discussions with the Superintendent of the Railway Police who had come earlier to the scene of occurrence and had carried out investigations and this official also denied any knowledge of the alleged official conclusion that there was no political significance behind this accident and that it was the work of the usual wagon looters.

UNEMPLOYED DIE SLOWLY OF HUNGER

Dange Draws Picture Of 'Terrible Poverty' In India

MOSCOW, July 4. (Reuter): The "terrible poverty" in which masses of Indian youth live was referred to by Mr. S. A. Dange, Vice-President of the All-India Council of Trade Unions in an interview appearing in 'Komsomolaya Pravda' today.

He said that children aged 8 to 14 worked in factories and plantations from 9 A.M. till 10 P.M.

Since the end of the war, unemployment had been growing and the unemployed did not receive assistance or relief. They "died slowly of hunger."

Referring to the great housing shortage, Mr Dange said that 12 or 13 families were living in one room. The food and clothing situation was deplorable, he added.

Mr. Dange declared that Moscow impressed him more than any other capital he had visited. He added "what astounded me was the fact that no one pointed me out as a person coming from the colonies."

Mr. Dange visited Moscow to attend the first full meeting of the Executive Committee of the World Federation of Trade Unions.

BUENOS AIRES, July 4. (A. P. A.): Persistent but wholly unconfirmed reports to-day said that Britain and Argentina are negotiating to bring of Lt.-Gen Wladyslaw Anders Polish Army into Argentina as immigrants.

Rumours say that the negotiations plan to settle two hundred thousand Poles and their families in Patagonia.

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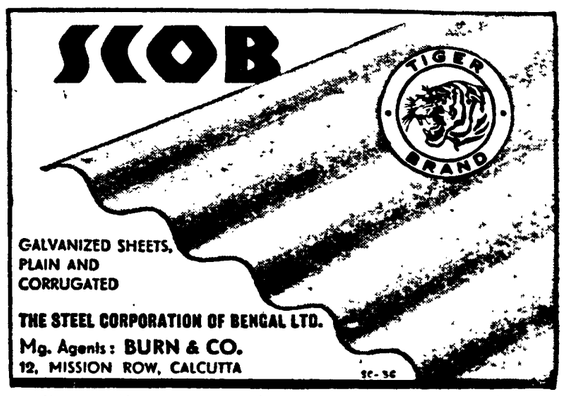

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Nagpur Parsee Freedom Group

President Stresses Merit In Selectiny Candidates For Constituent Assembly

NAGPUR, July 1.

Mr. C. B. Parakh, President, (Parsee) Freedom Group, Nagpur, has issued the following statement regarding the minorities representation on the Constituent Assembly:

It is a matter of great satisfaction that the Congress Working Committee has already issued instructions that nominations to the Constituent Assembly should be so made as to secure a fair representation for women and minorities, such as Christians, Anglo-Indians and Parsees. The anxiety of the Congress High Command to secure representation for the minorities is in keeping with its high traditions and national character and shows its solicitude for the minorities whom undoubtedly it represents.

The minorities by their refusal to claim a separate representation have for, all national purposes, merged themselves under the category "Indian." They have therefore, no right to claim that they, or any of them should be represented in the Constituent Assembly, but it also follows that given a suitable candidate or candidates his or their candidature, should not be ignored on the ground that a particular minority is over-represented. The only test in such cases should be the test of merit and the political creed or the doctrine to which the candidate subscribes.

To quote an instance, he creed of the Parsee Freedom Group is that the Group "wholeheartedly supports the demand that all political power in India should, as early as possible, be transferred to Indian hands, and India must be constituted as one Sovereign State based upon democratic principles." If a representative of our Group goes to the Constituent Assembly, and acts on this creed, which is also the Congress stand, it will vindicate the stand which our community has always taken, and proclaim to the world that the fear in some quarters of an Independent and United India is not justified.

We Parsees have made a substantial contribution to India's wealth, and its moral, material and political progress; we feel that we have a part to play in the India of the future; and it is our desire that we should be associated with our countrymen in framing a Free Constitution for our Country which will lead to its occupying its rightful place in the comity of nations.

If therefore there is any candidate from the Parsee Freedom Group of Nagpur aspiring to a seat on the Constituent Assembly, I appeal to the major political parties of the Province to examine his candidature only on the basis of his ability and fitness, and not on the numerical strength of our community.

INDIA'S SURPLUS COTTON FOR JAPAN

(From Our Correspondent)

NEW DELHI, July 5.—Thanks to the ceaseless efforts of Commerce Department, India will be able to export three lakhs bales on unwanted short staple cotton to Japan. Government of India's tussle was with U.S.A. which was out to capture the Japanese market to the exclusion of India.

New Delhi claims there is sufficient cotton to meet home demand and the Chinese and Japanese Commitments. India has already exported a quarter million bales to China. This deal has considerable benefits for cotton trade. Japanese exports 'inter alia' will restore Indo-Japanese trade in cotton.

New Delhi claims the recent agitation that India is on the verge of cotton famine is to put up agitation to keep prices down for the benefit of Cotton Textile Industry.

Dalmias Acquire Eight Large Concerns

NEW DELHI, July 4 (APA). Acquisition by the Dalmia interests of eight large Indian industrial concerns, including Indian National Airways and the Dhrangadhra Chemical Works, in a deal involving "more than a crore of rupees" was announced today.

In detailing the transaction, Mr. R. K. Jain, son-in-law of Seth Ramkrishna Dalmia, said that although all the companies would retain their present corporate identity, Dalmia resources and experience would be thrown into an expansion of each.

In the case of Indian National Airways—the nation's oldest commercial airline—this meant, he said, extension of flight service to every provincial capital, including Assam, and eventually to overseas points. Six new twin-engined Vickers Viking transports have been ordered and air hostesses will serve aboard the ships of the line within a short time, Mr. Jain declared, adding: "India's Air Services both at home and in international service must be as efficient and attractive as foreign lines."

Keep Milk In Red Or Green Bottles

TORONTO, July 5, (Reuter): Bating laboratories in Toronto suggest that if a red or green bottle were used instead of the traditional clear-glass container, milk would retain its nutritional value longer.

Experiments with Ribaflavin—better known as vitamin B2-led to the painted milk bottle idea. Nutrition and food investigations established the fact that the Ribaflavin essentil to good health could best be obtained through milk and dairy products. Also established was the fact that milk exposed to sunlight loses its Ribaflavin fairly rapidly.

Five Injured In Clash Over Property In Cawnpore

CAWNPORE, July 4 (A.P.I.): Five persons were reported to have received serious injuries and a few others received minor bruises in a clash which occurred this morning between two parties at Swadeshi Market. The condition of one person is reported to be serious. Lathis and other lethal weapons were freely used by both the parties. Two persons have been arrested so far in this connection.

Civil litigation over some property is reported to be the case of the trouble. Police enquiries are proceeding.

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EMPIRE SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

"Lack Of Proteins May Increase India's Death Rate" Says Punjab Delegate

OXFORD, July 3. (Reuter): At least 33 per cent of the people of India do not get enough to eat, declared Mr. Mohammed Afzal Hussain of the Punjab Government at the Empire Scientific Conference here today.

Too much stress was laid on calories which gave an incorrect picture of the requirements of nutrition, Mr. Hussain said. In India, people suffered as much from lack of protein foods as from the actual lack of calories, and in parts of the country, where density of population was high and availability of protein foods low, the stature of human beings was going down. If that continued there might be a tremendous death rate all at once, he added. India had been short of food for the last 2 years and that shortage was likely to continue unless research developed along the right lines.

Dr. G. C. Herklots of Hong Kong submitted an unusual proposal at the conference. He said that in the colony he represented there should be a "balanced food factory" in which modern processing methods for fish and vegetables be tried out, and that balanced food products should be manufactured.

With the co-operation of employers of labour and the subsequent spread of the scheme to schools and hospitals, he was confident that a satisfactory diet could eventually be taken to all classes of the population.

Speakers at the Conference agreed on the need for urgent methods in tackling the problem of mal-nutrition in the Empire, and for closer co-operation between agriculture and medicine.

Sir Edward Mellanby, Chairman of the Colonial Medical Research Committee, said that discrepancy between agriculture and medicine was due to the fact that in agriculture the farmer and producer were in control, whereas in medicine the scientist was in control. He suggested that the whole problem of mal-nutrition might be the subject of an Empire plan.

EMPIRE SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

OXFORD, July 4 (Reuter).—India's need of a central authority governing land utilisation was stressed by the Indian delegate, Prof. J. N. Mukherjee, today when the Empire Scientific Conference discussed problems of land utilisation and conservation. Dominion speakers stressed the need for combined research on the subject by every part of the Empire.

BRITISH BAKERS PROTEST AGAINST BREAD RATIONING

Warn Govt. Against Failure Of Scheme

LONDON, July 4 (Reuter): About 1,500 bakers from all parts of England and Wales expressing their conviction at a mass meeting here today that the British Government's bread rationing scheme would not work, were told by the Chairman of the Parliamentary Committee, Mr. Fred Phillips: "We have scored today the biggest victory we have had in this campaign. Minister (food) is to see us on the whole question of rationing."

Nevertheless, the meeting unanimously passed a resolution that "after the information revealed in Parliament yesterday, some control of consumption of flour may be necessary."

The resolution demanded that the Food Minister should discuss the matter with the trade in an endeavour to find some simple satisfactory "method of dealing with the problem. In the meantime, the present scheme must be postponed for eight weeks."

Uproar Over M. Dupont's Election

PARIS, July 5, (Reuter): Pandemonium broke out in the French National Assembly last night when Communists asking for the election of rightwing deputy M. Frederic Dupont to be declared invalid on "moral" grounds rose in their seats, shouted and gesticulated wildly at rightwing members.

Communist speakers alleged that M. Dupont had had various contacts with German Authorities between 1941 and 1944 which ammounted to collaboration.

Shouts "what about M. Maurice Thorez"? (Communist leader, who left France for Russia during the war) resulted in wild recrimination between Right and Left wing benches.

After suspension, the Assembly rejected a motion to invalidate M. Dupont's election by 341 votes to 130.

Lectures On Tuberculosis And Venereal Diseases

Dr. B. B. Yodh, Chairman of the Scientific Section of the Centenary Celebrations of the J. J. Hospital and Grant Medical College, writes:—

The first lecture in the Popular Public Series was delivered by Dr. B. R. Patel on 2nd July, on tuberculosis. He gave a detailed account of the various factors that go to make the tuberculosis problem one of the most important in public health work. He described the early symptoms and discussed preventive treatment. This series has thus started successfully and the Committee earnestly hopes that the public of Bombay will take greater interest in the subsequent lectures and come in large numbers to the Anatomy Lecture Theatre of the Grant Medical College, on Tuesdays at 7 p.m.

Dr. W. N. Wellinker, the Specialist in Venereal Diseases will take the next lecture on "Common facts about Venereal Diseases." This lecture which will be in English promises to be of real interest to the public with regard to the great social problem of the incidence and prevention of Venereal diseases in the City."

MADRAS, July 4. (A.P.I.): The Government of Madras has decided to refund the fines imposed by courts and collected from persons who took part in the individual Satyagraha movements in 1940-41 and also those who took part in the 1942 Civil Disobedience movement.

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YOUTH'S PARLIAMENT: Symposium on "Constituent Assembly" (Contd.) the Youth Lodge, Blavatsky Lodge, at 6-30 p.m. to-day, Mr. C. B. Gheveria will preside.

BOMBAY SPIRITUAL CENTRE: Discourse by Dr. D. V. Sabnis on "Jnaneswari" at 4-30 p.m. to-day.

CHIKITSAKA SAMOOHA PAST STUDENTS' ASSN.: Musical concert by R. N. Paradkar (Radio Star) at 10 p.m. to-day at the Wagle Memorial Hall, Kandewadi.

IDEAL MUSICO: (Music Club) Concert of violin and vocal music by Messrs. Jog and Wadikar to-day (Saturday) at 10 p.m. at Kitte Bhandari Hall, Gokhale Road, Dadar.

FSU'S KOHINOOR SHOW: The Secretary, Bombay Friends of the Soviet Union, informs that due to unavoidable circumstances the Soviet Film Distributors are not in a position to give the film "6 p.m. After the War" for the private show at the Kohinoor on Sunday at 10 a.m. The film "Wait For Me" in English will be shown instead to FSU members and invitees.

GANDHARVA SANGEET MANDAL: Musical concert by Miss D. G. Kulkarni of Kolhapur at 9-30 p.m. today at Laxmi Baug, New Bhatwadi, Girgaon.

"LANGUAGE GROUPS": AIR, Bombay will present a new series of talks in English on the "Languages of India", on Saturdays at 8-45 p.m. Inaugurating the series, Rev. A. Esteller will broadcast a talk on 'Language Groups' to-day.

MOOLJIBHOY JIVRAJ KHOJA GENERAL READING ROOM AND LIBRARY: 82nd annual general meeting at 10-30 a.m. to-morrow at 9, Dontad Cross Lane, Mandvi.

PROF. K. T. SHAH: Prof. K. T. Shah is seeking re-election from the Registered Graduates' Constituency for a seat in the Senate in the University of Bombay.

B. P. ADULT EDUCATION ASSOCIATION: Classes in Latin, Radio Communication, and Greek will "begin" in St. Xavier's College, Radio Electric Institute, and St. Xavier's College at 5, 4-30 and 6 p.m. respectively to-day.

"RASHTRABHASHA EXAMINATIONS": The ensuing Rashtrabhasha Examinations: Prarambhik, Pravesh, Parichaya and Kovid of the Rashtrabhasha Prachar Samiti, Wardha, will be held on September 14 and 15 1946. Application forms with fees will be accepted at the office of the Sabha (Fellowship School, Gowalia Tank, Bombay 26), from July 6 to 10 between 5-30 and 7 p.m. Also at the office of the Hindi Prachar Karyalaya at 153A Govind Dhum, Matunga between 7 and 8 p.m.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT: Free anti-typhoid mass inoculation at B.I.T. Blocks, Agripada, between 5 to 7 p.m. to-day.

UNIVERSITY ELECTION

Mr. Bhagvanji Anupchand Mehta of Rajkot stands as a candidate for election by the registered graduates of the Bombay University.

TRAVANCORE BANK

The Bombay Branch of the Bank of Travancore will be declared open by Mr. Vaikunth L. Mehta, Finance Member, Government of Bombay, at 5 p.m. on Thursday 11th instant.

NEHRU TO UNFURL TRICOLOUR ON SUNDAY

(Congress House Announcement.)

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, President-elect of the Indian National Congress, will unfurl the National Flag at the Flag Salutation ceremony under the auspices of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee at 8 a.m. tomorrow (Sunday) on the Azad Maidan.

Sevikas and Congress and other volunteers are required to be present at the above maidan at 6-30 a.m. sharp.

Public bodies and commercial associations wanting to garland the President-elect are hereby requested to send their representatives to the Flag Salutation ceremony. Garlands will be offered to the President-elect after the Flag Salutation.

Thereafter there will be a rally of volunteers, including the Bombay Peace Patrols. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru will take the salute of the volunteers.

After the ceremonial function is over, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru will address the gathering.

LANDLORDS' SUIT FAILS

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Tendolkar)

Ratilal T. Thacker & Others ..... Plaintiffs

Versus

Bai Tarabai widow of Motilal Chunilal ..... Defendant.

The defendant was a tenant of a bungalow at Ridge Road known as "Thacker Kunj", under a Lease for 3 years from 1st December 1941, from Babubhai Jhaveri and others who subsequently sold the property to the plaintiffs on 18th October 1943. The lease provided for determination of the tenancy by the lessor in case of sale by one year's notice. Such a notice was given in February 1943. The plaintiffs filed the present suit in April 1944 to recover possession of the bungalow from the defendant, and obtained a certificate from the Rent Controller that the bungalow was reasonably and bona fide required by the plaintiffs for their own use. On appeal, the Collector held that the demand of the plaintiffs for the whole of the premises was not reasonable. He therefore cancelled the Certificate granted by the Rent Controller and on 8th November 1944, he issued a Certificate in respect of a part of the bungalow. Reviewing his own order on 8th May 1945, the Collector, held that his order of 8th November 1944 was illegal as he had no jurisdiction to grant a Certificate in respect of a part of the premises, and he therefore cancelled his Certificate of 8th November, 1944.

The plaintiffs contended that since the order cancelling the Controller's Certificate had itself been cancelled on review, the Controller's Certificate was revived and the plaintiffs were therefore entitled to possession.

Rejecting this contention, his Lordship held that the Rent Controller's Certificate was "subject to the decision of the Collector" and that the Collector's finding being that the plaintiffs' claim for the whole of the premises was unreasonable, there was no valid certificate in favour of the plaintiffs and their suit must therefore be dismissed.

The Advocate-General and Mr. B. J. Diwan instructed by Messrs. Crawford Bayley and Co. appeared for the plaintiffs. Mr. K. A. Somjee and Mr. Y. B. Rege instructed by Messrs. Bhaishanker Kanga and Girdharlal appeared for the defendant.

SOCIAL SERVICE IN SUBURBS

The first annual general meeting of the Bombay Suburban Social Service League was held in the Cama Memorial Hall on Thursday.

Sir Rustom P. Masani, in proposing the adoption of the annual report and the statement of accounts, referred to the pains taken by Mr. B. G. Kher in the formation and subsequent conduct of the affairs of the League. He said that a fair amount of work was done, but that more needed to be done in future and hoped that the new Committee would be able to achieve substantial progress next year. He emphasised the need of the solution of the Greater Bombay problem, especially as regards Local Self-Government.

The report and the statement of accounts were adopted and the following office-bearers and the members of the Managing Committee were elected:

Sir Rustom P. Masani: President.

Shri Shantikumar Morarji: Vice-President;

Shri Ratilal M. Nanavati: Treasurer;

Shri Veerbal H. Mehta and Shri B. G. Kher, Jt. Hon. Secretaries.

MEMBERS: Mr. Shewak Bhojraj, Mr. J. G. Mehta, Mr. Chaturbhuj Hansraj, Mr. S. V. Kini, Mr. J. K. Mehta, Prof. N. K. Bhagwat, Mrs. M. S. H. Jhobvala.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES: A Board of Trustees consisting of Mr. B. G. Kher Mr. Vaikunth L. Mehta and Mr. Ratilal M. Nanavati was constituted.

"MARCH OF EVENTS", VOL. III

CONGRESS HOUSE ANNOUNCEMENT

MARCH OF EVENTS, volume III (Being the case of the Indian National Congress 1946 will be published by the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee on Saturday, July 6. This is a very valuable publication for reference. Copies of the volume can be had from the Congress House, Bombay 4.

ARRESTS IN MAZAGAON AREA

Six persons were arrested by the City police yesterday on a charge of committing a breach of the Curfew order promulgated in some parts of the Mazagaon area following a clash between caste Hindus and Harijans early this week.

The suspects were placed before the Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon Police Court, today and allowed bail.

A. S. IYENGAR IN CITY

BOMBAY, July 5 (A.P.I.): Mr. A. S. Iyengar, Principal Information Officer to the Government of India arrived in Bombay today from Delhi by air.

TO-DAY ON RADIO

SATURDAY, July 6.

BOMBAY—1.

244 m. (1231 kc/s)—7-30 a.m. Keep Fit 7-40 News (M) 7-50 News (G) 8-0 News (E) 8-15 News (H) 8-30 J. Y. Pandit 8-45 Sham Devre 9-0 Sardarbai Karadgekar.

12-0 p.m. "Shaniwarchya Gappa" 12-45 News (M) 12-50 News (G) 12-55 Tu Ani Mee 1-25 News (H) 1-30 News (E) 1-40 Music 2-0 You Asked for It 4-20 Vishnubuwa Patwardhan (Shrivardhan) 4-40 K. N. Matangebuwa 5-0 J. Y. Pandit (Violin) 5-15 Bahuroopi (G) 5-45 Topic of Day 5-55 Locals 6-0 News (E) 6-10 News (H) 6-15 Film Songs 6-30 Vazir Bai (Thumri) 6-45 Vishnubuwa Patwardhan 7-0 Surdas Bhajan 7-15 J. Y. Pandit (Violin) 7-30 K. N. Matangebuwa 8-0 News (M) 8-15 News (G) 8-30 Jat Lakhvanu (G) 8-45 For Universities (Talk by Rev. E. Esteller) 9-0 News (E) 9-15 News (H) 9-30 B. B. C. News 9-40 Programme Parade 9-45 Brains Trust in Gujarati: Question-master: B. B. Vyas 10-15 Sardarbai Karadgekar.

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ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, July 5. (API.)

The following is the weather chart as recorded at 8 a.m. today.

Abu 78 67 0.1 12.0 plus 4.2 Ahmedabad 76 71 0.8 4.8 minus 0.6 Ahmednagar 79 69 0.3 6.1 plus 0.4 Akola 78 74 1.3 8.2 plus 1.6 Amraoti 78 74 0.5 13.5 plus 5.6 Bangalore 79 67 0 1.5 minus 2.0 Baroda 91 79 0.5 10.2 Nil Belgaum 75 69 1.6 9.2 minus 1.0 Bhopal 88 74 T 11.3 plus 2.6 BOMBAY 81 77 2.0 24.9 plus 1.4 Calcutta 92 80 0.2 9.7 minus 4.0 Delhi 97 81 0 7.1 plus 2.8 Gulbarga 81 72 T 8.7 plus 3.7 Honavar 84 74 2.9 64.1 Nil Hyderabad (Dn) 76 73 0.1 5.1 minus 0.1 Karachi 92 84 0 1.3 plus 0.5 Khandwa 80 76 0.4 12.2 plus 5.2 Lahore 101 81 0 4.0 plus 1.8 Madras 97 82 0 3.2 plus 0.7 Mahableshwar 65 61 10.8 61.3 plus 5.4 Mangalore 82 75 1.2 63.7 plus 19.0 Marmagao 83 73 1.3 43.3 plus 5.2 Mysore 78 69 0 3.1 plus 0.3 Palghat 76 73 1.9 30.5 Nil Patna 95 83 0 4.6 minus 4.3 Peshawar 103 84 0 0 minus 0.4 Poona 75 71 0.7 2.5 minus 2.8 Raichur 87 73 0.1 5.9 plus 1.9 Shillong 79 67 0.1 18.8 minus 0.9 Sholapur 82 72 T 6.8 plus 1.7 Surat 88 80 T 16.0 plus 4.8

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

When you have convinced thinking men that it is right, and humane men that it is just, you will gain your cause

—Wendell Phillips

The Bombay Chronicle

SEIZE THE OPPORTUNITY

The All-India Congress Committee, which meets today in the city, will have little difficulty in endorsing the decisions of the Working Committee on the Cabinet Mission's plans. No opposition is expected to the decision to reject the plan of the Interim Government. Nor is the A.I.C.C. likely to fetter the hands of the Working Committee in dealing with that subject again when the Viceroy may resume negotiations with the latter Committee. The final decision on the subject will depend on various considerations few of which can now be definitely anticipated. Some opposition is expected to the decision to accept the Mission's long-term plan. It is objected by some that the Working Committee has confronted the A.I.C.C. with a settled fact in the sense that the Working Committee has not only accepted the Mission's long-term plan but has even begun to take action on it. Such a procedure, it is argued, is unfair to the A.I.C.C., which is called upon either to endorse a decision which it may think to be wrong or make itself responsible for the confusion and bitterness that may follow its rejection. The objection is quite untenable. The Working Committee's decision is a settled fact only so far as the Committee is concerned. It will not vary the decision unless unforeseen facts make it necessary. The Committee has, indeed, reserved to itself the right to modify its attitude in the light of new developments. But the Working Committee's commitment leaves the A.I.C.C. free to unsettle what it regards as a settled fact if, on grounds of merit, it finds the decision to be harmful to the Congress.

However, we are confident that on grounds of merit as well as procedure the A.I.C.C. will wholeheartedly support the Working Committee's decision. We have shown before that, defective as is the long-term plan, it has several substantial advantages and that the balance of advantage is in favour of accepting it. Merely because there are some defects in the plan it does not follow that it must necessarily be rejected. The greatest advantage of the scheme is that, as desired by the Congress, it refers almost every question about the future constitution to one Constituent Assembly, the Groups being very much like sectional Committees for specific sectional purposes concerning the Groups and their formation for those purposes being a right implied in complete provincial autonomy, including residuary powers. The Working Committee will see to it that no province is compelled to join a Group against its will. Another great advantage of the scheme is that, again as Congress desired, the unity of the country is safeguarded by the provision for only one sovereign State with one Union Government controlling three of the most important national subjects. It is quite open to the Constituent Assembly to add to these subjects. True, that requires the approval of the two major communities in the country. But on a question like this Congress never contemplated coercing the biggest minority community. It does not require much imagination to realise that once the provision for a Central Government is accepted by all concerned, the addition to the Central subjects is a question of time, thanks to demonstrably common economic and other interests.

Several other defects in the scheme can similarly be remedied by the Constituent Assembly itself. Sufficient concensus may not be easy but not impossible when common questions, the discussion of which by the parties concerned was so far impossible for one reason or other, will now have to be tackled by all in the light of facts and figures that may be adduced by experts. In short, one Constituent Assembly, committed by previous agreement to one sovereign State and one Central Government, is a great, very great, opportunity which can be so utilised as to yield many good results. It is, indeed, dangerous to ignore this long-sought opportunity. We are, therefore, confident that the A.I.C.C. will give unqualified support to the Working Committee and will accord a fair trial to the scheme of a Constituent Assembly accepted by all the parties concerned.

The Millowners' Racket

It is highly regrettable that the "Caretaker" Government of India should have synchronised its emergence with a ready sanction to what cannot but be characterized as a reprehensible racket by the millowners of this country. The proposal of the latter increase the prices of the coarser varieties of cloth—the very varieties which form a large bulk of the consumption by the poorer sections of the people—by as much as six to fifteen pies in the rupee, and the prices of coarser varieties of yarn by as much as half an anna to one anna per pound, amounts to nothing less than a racket on the part of the manufacturers of these goods, who have been piling up fabulous profits year after year during the war, inflicting untold hardships on the masses of the Indian people. The Government of India, callously allowed these millowners during the war-period to pitch their prices at an inordinately high level, so as to be able to reap a rich harvest of revenue for itself by means of the excess profit tax. Lest the mill-labour raise any growl at not being allowed to participate in the unprecedented prosperity of the industry, sops were offered to it by way of war-bonuses, dearness allowances and so on. But the vast consumer public who had to pay through the nose the inordinately high prices of cloth, benefited not in the least from this prosperity of the industry, but remained to the end the victim of joint exploitation by the manufacturers and the Government. The war has ended, but the "ma-bap" Government, instead of taking any timely measures to alleviate the prolonged sufferings of the masses, has given a fresh sanction to these millowners virtually to loot these masses as they will. This is a reprehensible step, which only an authority irresponsible and unresponsive to public opinion could have dared to take.

The reasons given by Mr. K. M. D. Thackersey, Chairman of the Textile Control Board, for the sudden increase in prices of coarser qualities of cloth and yarn are wholly unconvincing. He has not explained why, when the prices of finer qualities could be reduced, the coarser ones should be priced higher. By such a step all grace out of the concession regarding finer qualities is knocked out. He complains of the decline in general production this year in comparison with the output last year and refers to the labour strikes and consequent loss in the number of working days, but forgets that these strikes would not have materialised if the millowners, who were reaping a golden harvest all the time, had been generous to share their prosperity adequately with the workers, by the sweat of whose brow such prosperity had been engendered. Mr. Krishnaraj and his fellow manufacturers expect the total production to be curtailed still further owing to the reduction in the working hours of the mills from nine to eight hours with effect from August 1, 1946. Apart from the fact that reduction of hours may lead to greater efficiency, why should not the millowners have waited to see if, and to what extent really the production would decline in the course of the next twelve months? Their action in raising the prices in anticipation of such a decline smacks of unseemly haste and it is amazing that the Government of India should have acquiesced in the step with equally unseemly haste. That the excuse of reduced output is a hollow one may be seen from the fact that Mr. Krishnaraj complains in the same breath that the Government of India is not permitting still larger exports of Indian cloth to foreign countries.

The fact of the matter is, the Textile Control Board, dominated as it is by representatives of the millowners themselves, has become a mere tool in the hands of the latter. The representatives of the consumers and of labour, as can be seen from the joint statement issued by them protesting against the decision to raise the prices, form an insignificant minority. The so-called Industries Committee of the Board, is only another tool of the millowners, since it is composed of representatives of the millowners only and of no other interest. It is not at all surprising, in such circumstances, that the Industries Committee should have suggested, and the Textile Control Board acquiesced readily in, the proposal to enhance the prices so as to swell the pockets of the millowners still further. The only surprising fact is that the Government of India, too, should have, equally readily endorsed the proposal, regardless of the certain infliction of still further hardships on the long suffering consumer-public—the poor and middle class masses of India. The assurance which the Government has obtained from the millowners that the prevailing rates of wages of mill labour will be maintained unaffected, cannot compensate in any way the masses, who are being fleeced in a cruel manner.

Frankly Speaking

The Only Escape

The American Medical Association has done well to publish the revised and authoritatively investigated figures of atom bomb casualties in Hiroshima and Nagasaki. Apart from the vast material destruction, there were 80,000 men, women and children dead and 40,000 injured in Hiroshima and 40,000 dead and 25,000 injured in Nagasaki. These figures are the very minimum. But they are sufficiently terrible to bring at least the sane elements of world opinion back from their present wanderings among the details of the so-called failure of the Bikini test. If two bombs, in the first stages of their development, could work such havoc what is the outlook for the world if the atom bomb becomes a weapon in the armoury of, at any rate, big nations? Every big nation will sooner or later have it—in order to use it. The only escape is effective international control of the manufacture, and development, of atomic energy at every stage. And "effective international control" means this that the controlling body should have full and absolutely unrestricted power and authority in every country. Nothing less. But nothing less can save the world either.

Dutch Hopes

The United Press of America reports from the Hague that Dutch politicians do not like the new development in colonial freedom as represented by the proclamation of the independence of the Philippines. They even seem to entertain a grievance that they have been let down by the United States. We are not surprised at this reaction. Nor are we surprised at Dutch attempts to differentiate between the case of the Philippines and that of Indonesia or at blatantly disingenuous arguments and excuses—after all, imperialism itself is dishonest—for retaining Dutch imperialist domination over Indonesia. The excuses and the technique are all old and well-known. But what is more important is that they have lost their effectiveness, even their plausibility. Asia has now entered into the age of freedom and the imperialism of European countries cannot restore itself. It is unfortunate that Dutch imperialists have not realised this hard fact and they still hope to re-establish their domination over Indonesia with the help and assistance of Great Britain. Evidently they will only be convinced by painful and bitter disillusionment.

"Big Four" Agreement

It is, of course, all to the good that the "Big Four" Foreign Ministers have surmounted "another big hurdle"; for they have agreed in principle to the three-point Soviet claim to reparations from Italy. It is to be hoped that no serious difficulty will arise in respect of practical details. The full dress Peace Conference of 21 nations to finalise treaties with Italy and other "satellite" countries is going to meet on July 29. There need be no obstacle to a successful conclusion of the Conference because agreement has already been reached on a number of controversial points and the two main items have been out of the way, namely, Trieste and the Italian Colonies. Trieste will continue to remain an international headache for ten years and no one can say categorically that the problem would eventually be solved in a satisfactory and acceptable manner. Even more important is the problem of the Colonies and it still remains to be seen whether, in their "disposal" the Big Powers respect moral and democratic obligations or betray them. But the agreement already reached is valuable enough because it suggests further possibilities about an agreed future for Europe.

Sympathy With A Proviso

World Jewry is up in arms against the British who have declared "aggressive war"—a euphemistic term for efforts to suppress the military arm of Zionism—on Jews in Palestine. There are strikes and hartals all over, even in Poland! And a Jewish Charter of Freedom has also been proclaimed, in which Jews bestow upon themselves the proprietorship of Arab Palestine. All this is natural. It is an inevitable development arising out of the betrayal of Arabs by the British and American authors of the Palestine report, Mr. Attlee's ill-concealed acceptance of the recommendations and President Truman's open and gallant championship of Jewish claims to Palestine. The statesmen of Britain and America particularly feel that with their might they need not bother about Arab rights, democratic honour and international honesty. But it is good to know that the Arab is not going to allow himself to be crushed by power-mad men whose sympathy for the Jews is, it is quite interesting to note, very strictly subject to their own countries being well protected from Jewish influx.

University Elections

The registered graduates of the Bombay University will this month elect their representatives to the Senate. One of the candidates for election is Prof. K. T. Shah, who has served the University as a member of the Syndicate and the Senate as well as a Professor for over twenty years with single-minded devotion and ability. While the advent of new blood in the University as in other public bodies should always be welcomed, the experience and study of educational problems which men like Prof. K. T. Shah command should not be lost to the University. We have no doubt the registered graduates will see to it that he is elected to the Senate.

All-India Congress Committee

(By G. N. ACHARYA)

It is a strange thing—the human memory. Events long past are filed away, as it were, in some remote pigeon hole of the brain, preserved as in a refrigerator and then are called out by some event in the present. But there seems to be no law about it. You can hardly predict which things will be remembered and why; what details stay hid and come to light and what slip away, like water poured on a duck's back.

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With the prospect of a meeting of the All-India Congress Committee ahead memories come back to me—memories of other meetings held in this city during the last decade. For a news reporter meetings of the All-India Congress Committee have their thrill and their pain. The thrill comes out of the fact that he occupies the ring seat at a show at which everybody wants to be present but cannot. It is thrilling to be amidst vast crowds of eager, expectant people; it is thrilling to watch national policies being made, criticised, defended and finally crystallised. It is thrilling to watch the words flow, to listen to the sonorous periods of finished orators. It is thrilling to watch the tempers rise and the sparks fly and listen to the angry tones of charge and counter-charge, of denunciation and reproof. It is thrilling to note that impalpable influence called leadership, pouring oil on troubled waters, holding warring men together to work for an accepted compromise.

Yes, it has its thrill; but it has its pain, too. It means work, tiresome, heartbreaking labour; a contention of the spirit to watch with coldness and detachment and report with accuracy. But nobody wants to hear of a reporter's headaches although they may like to peep into his scented chamber of memories.

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Memories come back to me—not ordered, full-fledged and comprehensive but so many jagged pieces, colourful and kaleidoscopic. I remember the first time that I attended a meeting of the All-India Congress Committee as a reporter, sometime in 1936. I remember it was monsoon weather. In fact, practically every meeting of the A.I.C.C. which I have attended has come off during the rainy season. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru was president at the time. The meeting was held in the compound of the Congress House, under an improvised roof carefully secured against rain. It was at this meeting that the A.I.C.C. adopted the election manifesto for the first provincial elections under the Government of India Act of 1935. The battle over office acceptance had not yet developed. The manifesto itself was a magnificent piece of prose and set out in clear terms the socio-economic setup of a free India which Congress had in mind. It is the same picture of a Socialist Commonwealth which has since been developed and reiterated on many occasions.

My memory of this meeting is, strangely enough, very faint and dim. But there is one incident which stands out clearly in my memory. I remember that somebody (I think it was Babu Purushottamdas Tandon) moved a resolution demanding that the correspondence and entire business of the Congress should be done in Hindustani. It was, of course, an easy thing for Tandonji, in his white beard, to make out a case for a language which was his mother tongue. But then up rose the late Mr. S. Satyamurti. In the flow of eloquence of the previous two days his voice had not been heard at all. Now he came up on the dais, beaming in his close collar coat, his 'valli' draped over his shoulder and turban and said in his inimitable way: "Sir, for two days I have sat here and listened to endless speeches of which I have understood not a word. But even a worm turns—sometimes! Supposing this meeting had been held in Madras and supposing we had bombarded you with speeches in Tamil for three days in succession, I wonder how you would have felt". The rest of the speech was couched in the same key—a plea not to make a fetish of Hindustani.

I remember he found strong support from President Nehru although for different reasons. Nehru said that shorthand, typing and telegraphic facilities which lightened the burden of routine work in English were not available in Hindustani and it would be cruel to insist on the resolution.

The next meeting of the A.I.C.C. which I remember was three years later. It was held in a pandal at the Gowalia Tank Maidan during a rainy July. It was a critical time in the life of the Congress. Subhas Chandra Bose, elected President of the Tripuri session, in the face of Rightist opposition, had resigned from the presidentship, as he had failed to form the Cabinet, Babu Rajendra Prasad had taken up the presidentship—a very onerous and unpopular task at the moment. The Congress Ministries had been in office for more than two years and various Leftist sections were restive and indulging in action embarrassing to the Congress Ministries. The Congress Right was trying to consolidate its position and reorganise it. With that end in view, various amendments to the constitution had been brought for approval of the A.I.C.C. Therefore, the session was a somewhat dull affair, although behind the struggle about each amendment was a concealed struggle for power.

There was, however, just one bright and lively patch which has clearly stuck in my memory. That patch came when the irrepressible Mr. K. F. Nariman, still smarting under his recent discomfiture in the Congress, made a number of allegations about the Congress. He was frequently pulled up by Rajen Babu and was ultimately forced to resume his seat before finishing his speech. His speech was so provocative that Jawaharlal Nehru jumped on the rostrum and poured out vials of wrath on Nariman. In angry tones he declaimed: "Mr. Nariman does not know the Congress of yesterday, nor the Congress of to-day nor the Congress of to-morrow" and much more to the same effect. And I remember how, following Nehru's tempestuous oration, Subhas Chandra Bose stepped up to the mike, calm and collected and in a deliberate, unruffled voice repeated point by point, argument by argument, all that Nariman had groped to say and had been pulled up by Rajen Babu!

The stormy soul of Subhas was sustained by an exceptionally calm, Buddha like composure.

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The next meeting of the A.I.C.C. of which I have some recollections was the one held at the trading hall of the Cotton Exchange at Sewri in September 1940. It was at this meeting that the Congress decided to launch a campaign of individual Satyagraha under the guidance of Mahatma Gandhi, who, after a short separation caused by differences about the application of non-violence, had again assumed leadership of the Congress. The early attitude of the Congress on the issue of the war had not satisfied Leftist groups. But this move fairly won the support of the Congress Socialists, although the Communists continued to clamour for more determined action against what was yet an imperialist war for them. Hitler had not yet committed the mad folly of attacking Russia. The Communist group of seven were the only members who voted against that resolution.

The brightest incident of the meeting which I recollect is an encounter between Mr. Yusuf Meherally and Mr. C. Rajagopalachari. It is well-known that previous to the meeting C. R. had been the most ardent advocate of compromise. But he had been converted to support the resolution. Mr. Meherally in his usual flamboyant manner compared C. R. to the Italian Navy, which had notoriously been evading the Allied battleships scouring the Mediterranean. C. R. made a characteristically fighting reply. I remember how, in words that seemed so meek but were effectively barbed, he protested against Meherally's reference to the Italian Navy. "If he wants to abuse me, he is welcome to it; but why insult a whole people? Why swallow this Allied propaganda about Italian cowardice?" he pleaded.

The Italians, however, neither knew nor appreciated how well their national honour was being championed and defended in distant Bombay!

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Between that meeting of the A. I. C. C. and the next there was as much difference as between a calm inland lake and the stormy ocean. It was one of those occasions of heightened emotion of which every detail remains etched in one's memory From the moment that Maulana Azad, with his tall figure and noble features set off by a laundry fresh silk "sherwani" and a dark moghul fur cap and the frail, brown figure of Mahatma Gandhi swathed in a snow white dhoti and 'uparna', seemingly meek, yet infinitely powerful, stood on the dais as the 'Vande Mataram' was sung to that last 'Do or Die' speech of the Mahatma every detail is clear and fresh as if it were but yesterday that the whole thing happened. My only regret is that the last speech has never been adequately reported. The only man who might have done it, Mr. Mahadev Desai, passed away almost within a week afterwards.

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And with that sad thought I turn over the pages of the book of memories till I reach the next meeting of the A.I.C.C. in September 1945. The main impression of that meeting is one of rain, rain and more rain. For three days the meeting went on, it drizzled or it poured but it never let up. Our clothes were soaked wet; our shoes were caked with mud. And yet now the crowds came on. Nothing could stop them. They choked up the entire pandal, built to accommodate 20,000 and they overflowed into the sticky swamp outside. For sheer unmanageability, that meeting beat all records. The plea for more simple and serious meetings has been made as early as 1939; but this last meeting settled it in favour of such meetings once for all.

That meeting is too recent and there is no need to recall any particular incident. But there is one memory stronger than all others which has run through the meetings of 1940, '42 and '45. And that is the magnificent eloquence of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad. Th ere is something so grand yet so intimate about his speeches; a feeling so electrical and imminent that it cannot be translated into print. Typical of this was his brief valedictory address after the last tiresome three days' session. It had about it more than the usual flash and it was more than usually untranslatable. It was like the memory of the exotic and delicious scent of the Mogra—something which fills your nostrils but which you cannot convey.

Attitudes And Latitudes

By 'BIRBAL'

(The views expressed in this column are not always necessarily those of the Editor.—Editor "B.C.")

In these changing times, when the Working Committee of the Congress has to meet almost every week, the All-India Congress Committee is being convened after the lapse of ten months. Jayaprakash Narayan and Aruna Asaf Ali, the ranking leaders of the Socialists, have rightly protested against this studied ignoring of the A.I.C.C. Now that it is meeting after such a long interval, one hopes, the members will be given full opportunity to explain their varying view points and ventilate their accumulated doubts. The presidential bell shall not ring this time!

The A.I.C.C. will be invited to approve the decisions of the Working Committee: acceptance of the long term proposals of the British Government and 'pro tempo' rejection of the 'interim' plan. Let not the A.I.C.C. spend too much time in reviewing past events and re-hashing familiar facts as the leaders are wont to do—but settle down to explore the implications of the stand recommended by the Working Committee.

The long term proposals have been accepted by the Congress leaders without obtaining, as unalterable 'sine-qua-non', the declaration of India's independence. There is no 'interim' Government clothed in the garment of freedom—and without that how are the people to feel "the glow of freedom"? For sixty years the Congress policy has been to judge the promise for tomorrow by the performance of today—what is the performance? Mr. Jinnah's veto against the inclusion of a Nationalist Muslim in the 'interim' Government has been upheld and the whole plan lies wrecked on that veto. India is today saddled with a Servicemen's administration, the bulk of whom are non-Indians. A queer way of quitting India! In this atmosphere and under these auspices to conceive the constitution-making body as a sovereign Constituent Assembly is to draw an overdraft on self-deception.

The British maintain their hold on the helm of Indian affairs, the British armed forces are still entrenched in India, British paramountcy protects and props up senile regimes in the States and communalism continues to feed on British encouragement—these are the irrefutable facts of the Indian constitution. In this context, the task of constitution making can evoke little popular enthusiasm and less of popular allegiance.

The constitution making body will not meet to frame the constitution of Free India. Freedom remains to be won. The A.I.C.C. must, therefore, so fashion its strategy that if the Congress has to participate in that body it does not get enmeshed in constitutional cob-webs, but uses it as a lever for developing clarity and strength among the people for gaining full freedom. Let the A.I.C.C. steer the Nation's barge from the whirlpool of "conciliation" into the mainstream of combat. For that is the path to Freedom.

Goodbye Planning

'Birbal' suspects that there is more than administrative or political expediency in the unceremonious cremation of the Planning Department as well as the exclusion of Planning from the list of Central subjects. Obviously from the British point of view, there need be neither Interim nor Long-term economic planning in India. We are told that a stage has been reached when every Department is in a position to plan for itself. Yes that is planning. When every Department plans for itself, and nobody or rather the British bureaucracy plans for India. The Economic Adviser to the Department, probably knew all about it, and had the foresight to quit before the ship sank. The point is why must India plan? Especially at a time when the British are wasting their precious time giving us freedom? As for the Interim period, everything is moving according to the Plan: the Inflation is mounting without hindrance, sterling balances are accumulating, capital goods are effectively interned, prices are rising, black markets are flourishing, there is labour unrest and, at the top of it all, the Stock Exchange is climbing for a crash. Is this the time to plan, when epoch-making questions like Party are at stake? Certainly not. Besides hasn't the Congress a National Planning Committee somewhere in India? And if the Muslim League now constitutes another you shall have both Parity and Planning.

Belated Truth

When earlier this month the Labour Party Conference met in Bournemouth, a prominent delegate told the story how some years back he had invited George Bernard Shaw to open a Socialist Hall in that fashionable town, and how Shaw scoffed at the idea with the remark that he might as well open a branch of the Primrose League (a jingo reactionary body) in Moscow! Ironically enough, the Labour Party did meet in Bournemouth this month, and imperialist reaction prevails in Moscow today. That this is no exaggeration is revealed by 'Report on Russia' by Paul Winterton, which has just arrived in India. And thereby hangs a tale.

Winterton, who is a keen socialist and co-operative publicist, was sent by the B.B.C. and the "News Chronicle" to be their special correspondent in Moscow during the years of the war between Germany and Russia. Winterton went because he was an admirer of the Russian Revolution in its earlier years, knew Russian, and had been many years in that country. Within a few weeks of his functioning from Moscow, he discovered that only a very carefully expurgated version of his dispatches was allowed by the Russian censorship to reach London. He was quite prepared to boost the Russian ally but not to mislead his readers abroad, and so he requested to be recalled. He was reminded that he was a war correspondent and that, however unpleasant the task, he must do his duty by the Anglo-Soviet alliance. When at last Winterton returned to England at the end of the war, he came with a load on his conscience which he decided he could no longer endure. "Report on Russia" is Winterton's effort to correct the misleading impression his one-sided articles created during the war years. And what a story it tells! Here are a few glimpses into his picture of Russia: "From the purely material point of view, practically everything outside Russia is better than the corresponding thing inside Russia. This is true of towns, streets, houses, parks, plumbing, shops and cinemas .....The much publicised Russian health services are inferior to our own in many ways. Russian hospitals are in general well below our standards in cleanliness and efficiency. Russian schools compare unfavourably with ours."

Writing about claims to economic democracy Winterton writes: "Russia has its poor and its well-to-do, its top-dog and its underdog; just as we have. There are enormous variations in living standards in Moscow. The privileged can command all the luxuries available in Moscow. They can have good food and wine, nice clothes and furs for their wives and sweethearts, pleasant and spacious apartments, the use of a motor car and a chauffeur, a domestic servant, and a house in the country. The poorest have the barest necessities of life and live in what can only be described as squalor..... 'Some people' are certainly exploited by the State for the benefit of 'other' people. There is a growing feeling of social distinction and of social snobbery.... You can still see a poor person in Moscow, from time to time searching the street dustbin for a scrap of food."

Of the Russian claim to be a peace-loving people, the author says: "The sooner a small child wants to handle a gun, the better the Soviet authorities are pleased. In the curriculum of 1942-43 for seven-year-olds, military subjects come ahead of history, geography, nature study, drawing and singing. These curricula apply both to boys and girls..... The women of Russia will be expected not only to undertake the heaviest industrial tasks and acquire the greatest possible military skill, but also to produce the largest number of children. This in Russia is called the equality of sexes!..... A mother with 5 or 6 children gets the "Medal of Motherhood," women with 7 to 9 children get the "Order of Motherhood", while women with 10 or more children get (and deserve) the "Order of the Mother-Heroine." ....."

"There are no real experts on Russia," writes Winterton, "but only varying degrees of ignorance". Nothing is as likely to reduce the prevailing ignorance about Russia as a perusal of his revealing story.

This India

"Even a man with an income of 20,000 dollars a day would have trouble eating in England these days. In fact such a man is having just that trouble.

He is the 37-year-old Maharaja Gaekwad of Baroda who has been planning to live in England six months a year as a gentleman farmer. Because he had some difficulty getting passage for his staff the Maharajah—the eighth richest man in the world—bought a Halifax bomber just for the trip.

He has spent close to dol. 1,000,000 getting his racing stables established here. Yet Captain Himat of his staff says: "I have to spend half my time chasing around to find enough chickens to fill some of the gaps at the table. Entertaining is out of the question. There is just not enough to eat." U.P.A. London.

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TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT

"The directive of the Muslim League High Command to elect two Ministers, Khan Bahadur Khuru and Pirzada Abdus Sattar to the Constituent Assembly has led to a controversy in Muslim League circles here, particularly as the Premier, Sir Ghulam Husain Hidayatullah, is opposed to any Minister being elected to the Constituent Assembly". .. ..

—Karachi Report.

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A report is going the rounds that Leftist members of the A.I.C.C. are threatening to go on the war path.

Being ever eager to inflict our advice on whomsoever is unwilling to take it, we have officiously suggested to some of our particular friends among the Leftists to hold a joint conference with the C.-in-C. and staff officers of the Muslim League as the first preliminary.

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Mr. Sumner Welles, the noted U.S. ex-Under-Secretary of State and present columnist, is disappointed in U.S. Indians. Writing on the Cabinet Mission's success and failure, he regrets that "responsible Indian leaders, with a few notable exceptions, have so far shown little wisdom".

Eh? No, he naturally doesn't identify the "exceptions". That would have lost the point of the statesman-like criticism.

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In reply to Mr. Churchill's demand, Mr. Herbert Morrison was rather vague as regards the date for a Commons debate on India.

Which is just too bad. How, in such circumstances, can Prince Liaquat Ali proceed to call a meeting of the Council?

On second thoughts, however, we change our opinion. We now hold it to be O.K.

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The Postal strike seems to be really coming, after all.

But personally we not only support the would-be strikers but we also bless them for their decision. You see, this strike will be such a respite, however brief and inadequate, from correspondence.

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The Jewish Terrorist Group in Palestine has announced a nine-point "Jewish Charter for Freedom" which, of course, includes a Provisional Government parallel to the Mandatory Administration.

President Truman should, after a half-hour talk with Jewish leaders, now demand its incorporation in the UNO Charter with the additional directive that the military resources of the Security Council should enforce and protect it, the United States strictly confining itself to the provision of transport and finance.

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"Izvestia" of Moscow is reported to have attacked British policy in Palestine, declaring that Britain "has poured oil on fire" in that country.

What is the new joke?

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There was to be a hartal yesterday in all Jewish communities, workshops and institutions throughout Poland against British "acts of violence" in Palestine.

There is, however, no truth in the suggestion that as a next step D.P. compatriots, living in European camps and looking for the opportunity to slip into Palestine, will be asked to return to the haven of Poland.

India's Greetings To People Of Philippines

Freedom & Independence Are Battle Cries Of Every Asian Country, Says Jawahar

BOMBAY, July 5 (A.P.I.): Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru in an interview to the 'Associated Press of India' to-night welcomed the declaration of independence of the Philippines and conveyed the good wishes of India to the people there.

"Freedom and Independence" Pandit Nehru said "Are the battle cries of every Asian country and people. Every advance of freedom, therefore, in any country of Asia is welcome. The independence of the Philippines has been inaugurated on an auspicious day (July 4) famous in the annals of freedom, when the American colonies started their career of Independence which was to lead them to new heights in prosperity and power undreamt of in previous ages.

We send our greetings to the people of the Philippines on this opening of a new chapter in their history. We hope that this really signifies independence, for this word had become rather hackneyed and outworn and has been made to mean many things.

Some countries that are called Independent are far from free and are under the economic or military domination of some great Power. Some so-called Independent countries carry on with what might be termed "puppet regimes" and are in a way client countries of some great Power. We hope that is not so with the Philippines. With India in the past the people of the Philippines as of all other countries of South East Asia, have had closest contact. Not only history demands that, but present interests.

Inevitably, whatever the future of the world organisation is, India and the countries of South East Asia must hang together and work together. This is necessary from the point of view of Defence and Strategy, (for trade and commerce, and in cultural association.

So, on this welcome and auspicious occasion we send our good wishes for the people of the Philippines".

SWEDISH PREMIER CONGRATULATES FILIPINOS

STOCKHOLM, July 3, (UPA): The text of a telegram which was sent to President Manual Roxas by Swedish Premier P. A. Hansson today was given exclusively to the United Press of America by the Foreign Minister.

"On the day of the proclamation of the Republic of the Philippines," Hansson said, "I beg on behalf of the Swedish Government to extend the most sincere best wishes for your country's wellbeing and prosperity. Permit me to avail myself of this opportunity to present you personally my warmest felicitations as President of the Republic of the Philippines."

Gandhiji eating his lunch at Harijan Colony on Friday.

TWO BR. NAVAL RATINGS JAILED

For Stealing Money And Watch And Fountainpen At Point Of Revolver

SINGAPORE, July 5. (Reuter): Heavily armed police guarded Singapore court to-day when ten Chinese captured in yesterday's dawn gun battle were remanded. Three prisoners charged with armed crime have made separate escapes from court precincts in recent weeks.

Four armed robberies were reported yesterday and an Indian and his Chinese wife were wounded by bullets.

Two British naval ratings were sentenced to four years' R. I. for stealing money, a watch and a fountain pen from a taxi-driver at pistol point.

Our Readers' Views

Sidhwa's Claim For Constituent Assembly

Sir,—One misses Sri R. K. Sidhwa's name in the list of members, that have been selected for the Constituent Assembly. Sjt. Sidhwa is one of the oldest and foremost of Congressmen of Sind. (1) He has been a delegate to the Congress, ever since 1913; without any break. (2) He has been on the All-India Congress Committee for well-nigh 15 years. (3) He has been the President of the Karachi District Congress Committee for years. (4) He was the Leader of the Sind Assembly Congress Party for 5 years in the old Assembly. (5) He has been a Municipal Councillor for 18 years. (6) Chairman of its Standing Committee. (7) And an ex-Mayor of Karachi. Sjt. Sidhwa has been a staunch nationalist, all throughout his career. (8) He has been a guest of H. M.'s Government also. He has thus fought the bureaucracy tooth and nail in Sind. And he has merited in every way, his selection on the Constituent Assembly from any province, that the High Command may determine.

B. F. BHARUCHA.

What Should A.I.C.C. Discuss And Decide?

Friends,—For God's sake, don't waste the country's most precious time in speechifying. You may approve, or disapprove or amend the resolution of the Working Committee re: long term plan. But be very brief; and spare sufficient time of your Committee to discuss and decide on immediate action to be taken (1) to meet the food and cloth scarcity; (2) to root out the pernicious profiteering and black marketting; (3) to secure the services of agricultural and industrial experts to give a fillip to our existing Departments; (4) and to enlist the sympathy and support of all classes and communities in the day to day administration of the provinces. We have been often accused of being talkers,—Let us refute that charge and prove yourselves men of action. Jai Hind!

B. F. BHARUCHA.

Typhoid And Homoeopathy

Sir,—I have been seeing frequent reports in your columns that typhoid fever is raging in the city in an epidemic form and that too in a virulent form, taking a heavy toll.

Whether the allopathic form of prophylaxis in the form of inoculation, even if it can be easily and successfully administered to the numerous that require protection against an attack, affords immunity against this monstrous pest is a doubtful question since the highest medical authorities stand divided on the point. But Homoeopathy, as has been verified in practice and in accordance with its scientific law of therapeutics, has in its armoury, an almost certain remedy in the shape of typhoidinum. Typhoidinum 200 taken twice a week for two or three weeks affords ample immunity against an attack of typhoid and even if the attack has set in, it so modifies and mitigates the disease that a cure and early convalescence is the result.

Such of those among your readers who desire to protect themselves and their family can easily do so by taking 4 to 6 globules of typhoidinum (200) pills at intervals of three days for two or three weeks at a negible cost. Children may be given half the quantity for dosage.

This medicine typhoidinum (200) pills can be had at a cost of ten to twelve annas for 2 drams which is sufficient to be used for a family of ten members.

A HOMOEOPATH.

Medium Of Instruction

Sir—Your editorial suggestion in your issue of 24th June, that "to ensure rapid and extensive progress in higher education the recognised regional languages should soon be made the media of instruction and examination", should command our first attention as it includes all other issues. For this very reason the Lucknow University has recognised Hindustani (Urdu or Hindi) as the medium of instruction and the other universities, e. g., Benares Hindu University, Allahabad University, Mysore University, etc. will follow suit.

As a prologue to the future reforms, it is of urgent necessity that our educational institutions should give due importance to all the three regional languages of this province, viz. Gujerati, Marathi and Kannada. Unfortunately, most of our institutions are biased for one language or the other, for instance, in none of the Colleges in Bombay Kannada is taught, although there are hundreds of students whose mother-tongue is Kannada. I hope, we progressive educational bodies like the People's Education Society which has recently started the Siddhartha College, will take lead in this matter.

BAHRI.

STRIKE THREAT IN JALGAON

JALGAON, July 5. (API.) The Girni Kamgar Union of Jalgaon has notified the management of the two textile mills in the city that the workers would go on strike on July 11, if their demand for bonus is not conceded. The workers demand three months pay as bonus while the management have been giving two months pay.

Under-Water Atom Test On July 25

Dress Rehearsal On July 19

ABOARD THE "MT. MCKINLEY", BIKINI, July 5 (APA): Vice-Admiral Blandy to-day set July 25 as the tentative date for the next atomic bomb detonation.

Blandy said the Bomb this time would be exploded under water in the Bikini Lagoon and that a dress rehearsal for the test would be held on July 19.

100 FOOT TIDAL WAVE?

The Vice-Admiral said that he had decreased his original estimate of a 100-ft. tidal wave resulting from the blast to one of 70 feet and that he expected some form of radio-active cloud to result from the spray.

Reappraising the results of the first test drop, Blandy termed it a "miss of appreciable dimensions" because of wind and other factors. He asserted, however, that "nothing went wrong with the rest to prevent its being a complete success."

It is predicted that more ships would be lost in the second test "because more will be capsized, principally due to the high wave."

The bomb for the next test would be placed in a Bathysphere (undersea observation tank) and "the assumption is that it will be detonated by radio control or by wire.

BRAZILIAN CITY HIT BY ATOM BOMB WINDS

RIO DE JANEIRO, July 5. (Reuter): Over 1,000 kilometres from Corumba, where an unprecedented peasoup fog is claimed by the inhabitants to be the result of the Bikini atom explosion, the State city of Sao Paulo was late yesterday swept by winds of unusual force—also locally attributed to the atomic bomb.

Considerable damage has been done to the thickly populated valley of Paraiba river, where visibility has been reduced almost to zero by great dust clouds. A woman was crushed to death in the town of Jacarei when a factory wall was blown down.

Crowds collected in Sao Paulo streets to watch strange colourings in the sky due to dust.

"RED STAR" ON AMERICAN "ATOM DIPLOMACY"

MOSCOW, July 4 (Reuter): The Red Army newspaper 'Red Star' to-day described the Bikini Atom Bomb test as an "aggressive gesture against all other nations of the world". The writer, Vladimir Ochersky, said the test showed that American wished to dictate its will in foreign affairs by use of "atom diplomacy."

EXPLOSIVES FLOATING INTO CAMPBELTOWN BAY

Coming From Ship Sunk In '42, Canisters Cover 3 Square Miles

GLASGOW, July 4. (Reuter): Thousands of boxes and tins of explosives covering an area of three square miles have floated to the entrance of Campbeltown Bay at the mouth of river Clyde.

Many have drifted into the harbour and canisters have been seen round the quay and under pier only a few yards from dwelling houses.

On the Island of Arran north east of Campbetown, police are patrolling the beaches and demolition squads are busy clearing the ammunition. The master of a hip stated that he had spiled through many of these canisters on his way up the Clyde.

It is thought that the floating ammunition may be coming from a ship which was torpedoed and sunk by a U-boat in the Clyde late in 1942.

Notices have been flashed on screens of cinemas and posters distributed warning the population that unexploded mines, rounds of ammunition, grenades and detonators may be washed up and must be regarded as extremely dangerous.

A. I. C. C. BATTLE OVER MISSION'S PROPOSALS

(Continued from Page 1.)

Party, has rallied its forces and it has been decided that failing to carry the amendments given notice of, they will oppose the resolution. It is gathered that about 280 out of 375 members of the A.I.C.C. will attend the meeting. Of this, the Socialists claim that they will rally hundred members to support them. There is little doubt, however, that the resolution will be carried by a very large majority.

RESOLUTION ON S. AFRICAN INDIANS

The Working Committee has also decided to place before the A.I.C.C. a comprehensive resolution expressing sympathy and support to the Indian Passive resistance movement in South Africa. This resolution, being non-controversial may be expected to be passed unanimously.

The Committee will meet again at 9-30 A.M. today.

Mahatma Gandhi held his usual prayers at the hall of the Labour Welfare Centre at Worli. As the crowd of people who filled the hall and overflowed into the maidan did not keep completely silent, Gandhiji said that unless they learnt to maintain absolute silence he would not come there again. This "threat" had the desired effect and the audience sat through stone-still. And at the end Gandhiji congratulated them on their successful effort at discipline.

Among other prominent persons who arrived in the city on Friday were Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose, who travelled with the Congress President Pandit Ravi Shankar Shukla, Premier of the Central Provinces and Mr. T. Prakasam, Premier of Madras.

INDIAN SATYAGRAHIS IN SOUTH AFRICA CONGRATULATED

The following is the full text of the two resolutions passed by the Congress Working Committee today.

1. Resolved that the resolution of the Working Committee of June 26 be and is hereby ratified.

2. This meeting of the All-India Congress Committee, while it is grieved that it has become imperative for the Indian settlers in South Africa once more to offer Satyagraha in the land of its birth against a law imposing on them a colour bar more sinister than one against which they had put up a brave fight between 1907 and 1914, congratulates the handful of Satyagrahis on their brave but unequal action against heavy odds.

This meeting is pleased to find that doctors and such other men and women are at the head of the gallant struggle and that among them are represented Parsis, Christians, Muslims and Hindus. This meeting is also pleased to find that a few White men like the Reverend Scott have thrown in their lot with the Satyagrahis.

This meeting condemns the action of some White men in resorting to the barbarous method known as Lynch law to terrorise the Satyagrahis into submission to the humiliating legislation.

NOBLE EXAMPLE TO EXPLOITED PEOPLES

It is worthy of note that a large part of the Indians are born and bred up in South Africa and to them India exists only in their imagination. These colonial born Indians have adopted European manners and customs and English has become like their mother-tongue.

This meeting notes with great satisfaction that the Indian resisters are keeping the struggle free from violence in any shape or form and conducting it with dignity and without rancour and that they are suffering not only for their self-respect, but for the honour of India and by their heroic resistance, have set a noble example to all the exploited peoples of the earth. This meeting assures the Indian settlers of South Africa, India's full support in this unequal struggle and is firmly of opinion that persistence in it is bound to crown their efforts with success.

APPEAL TO VICEROY & EUROPEANS

This meeting appeals to His Excellency the Viceroy to use all his endeavour and to ensure the support of the British Government in aid of this struggle and invites the European residents of India to raise their voice in protest against White Hooliganism and Anti-Asiatic and Anti-Colour legislation of South Africa.

FOR U. P. MEMBERS OF A. I. C. C.

The credentials and identity cards from the A.I.C.C. Members from the United Provinces will be issued by Mr. Algurai Shastry, Secretary, U.P.C.C., between 9 and 11 a.m. at Marwari Vidyalaya Hall. U.P. Members of the A.I.C.C. are requested to meet him.

Forward Bloc To Oppose Resolution

Members of the Forward Bloc who are in the A.I.C.C. will meet to-day (Saturday) morning at 9 a.m. at Marina Mansion, Chowpatty, to draft the resolution opposing the acceptance of the Cabinet Mission's proposals.

Fifty members have already arrived and more are expected during Saturday.

NO A.I.C.C. MEMBERS FROM SIND?

Sequel To Election Tribunal's Decision

KARACHI, July 5 (UPI.)

Sind will go unrepresented at the forthcoming A.I.C.C. session in Bombay. This is a sequel to the Congress Provincial Election Tribunal noding the elections of all delegates from all Districts of Sind invalid.

This startling decision was reached by the Tribunal last night on the plea that rules governing the election of delegates were not observed. Since the election of delegates to the plenary session of the Congress were held in valid, the election of A.I.C.C. members also automatically becomes so.

BENGAL EUROPEANS WON'T VOTE

Wise Decision, Says Kiran Shankar Roy

CALCUTTA, July 5. (A.P.I.): The European Party in the Bengal Legislative Assembly has decided to abstain from voting in the forthcoming elections to the Constituent Assembly.

WISE DECISION

Mr. Kiran Shankar Roy, Leader of the Bengal Congress Parliamentary Party, says that the decision of the European Party in the Bengal Assembly not to participate in the forthcoming elections to the Constituent Assembly was a wise and helpful decision.

MADRAS NOMINATION PAPER AMENDED

MADRAS, July 5. (A.P.I.): The Government of Madras have received instructions from the Government of India to amend the declaration in the nomination form for election to the Constituent Assembly.

The declaration now to be signed by the candidate is that "he has not been proposed for candidature to represent any other Province and that he is willing to serve as a representative for the purpose of framing a new constitution for India."

INDIA SUFFERS GREATEST DEFEAT OF TOUR

Beaten By Innings And 82 Runs By Yorkshire

(BY LEARIE CONSTANTINE)

BRADFORD, July 5 (Reuter): As on the 1936 tour, Indians were again outplayed here, Yorkshire repeating their innings' victory on this occasion with 82 runs to spare.

WEATHER LUCK

In fairness to India, everyone here admitted that whereas Yorkshire batted under perfect conditions. India were unfortunate on the first and last days to have to face the Yorkshire bowlers after rain had affected pitch.

India tried hard to avoid a defeat to-day, but the pitch was responsive to spin, following a storm during the night, and a combination of right-arm offspin bowler Robinson and left-arm legbreak bowler Booth brought about the collapse. Only Pataudi, Modi, Hazare and Nayudu offered much resistance.

Nayudu enjoyed a most successful match, for he made the top score in both innings, brought off a marvellous right-handed catch in the gulley and took five for 27.

C. S. NAYUDU

The Indian batsmen have yet to learn the way to play a turning ball on a difficult wicket. Men like Modi and Hazare are all right when they maintain a rigid defence but they do not seem to always pick out the best ball to punish as demonstrated by Hutton. These defects can only be remedied by experience.

ANOTHER ENEMY

To make matters worse for the tourists to-day, the wind was bitterly cold and helped the bowlers in their deadly work.

DETAILS OF PLAY

The turf, outside the wicket, was wet and piles of sawdust were ready for use at the wickets when Robinson and Booth, two spinbowlers, opened the attack to Merchant and Modi. Robinson was replaced after one over by the fast medium Coxon and Robinson crossed to the other end.

EXIT MERCHANT

Merchant and Modi took pains to play themselves in, then Booth changed ends and deceived Merchant with the first delivery, for Merchant leaning forward was beaten by flight and spin and was promptly stumped.

Another disaster overtook the Indians at 54. Modi went out to Booth, the ball turned off quickly Wood stumping him brilliantly wide of the leg stump.

Twelve runs later the tourists lost their Captain, when feeling forward to one of Robinson's breaks, Pataudi did not connect and was cleanbowled.

Gul Mahomed avoided a pair of spectacles, sweeping Robinson round the square leg boundary the first ball he received. He did not stay long, being insufficiently restrained. Trying to cut Robinson he gave the agile Wood yet another catch behind the stumps, half the side now being out for 81—rather a poor performance.

COLLAPSE CONTINUES

Mankad chopped a leg break from Booth to first slip after scoring two, and six wickets were now down for 86. Pataudi promoted Nayudu to see if he could repeat his first innings' effort, but Sellers promptly countered the move by placing three men on the boundary.

Meanwhile Hazare maintained his defensive game. Hazare had stayed 80 minutes, when he made his only reckless stroke. When 18, he jumped to drive and was clean bowled by Booth with the total 106.

No one could check the collapse and with a single added, Banerjee playing defensively was leg before the wicket to Robinson.

Meanwhile Nayudu was straight driving with great power and hitting Booth to the boundary again became India's top scorer. Shinde joined in the hitting, pulling Robinson for four.

Only even deliveries were necessary to finish the game after lunch, for Nayudu, jumping out, was easily stumped after hitting 28 and the total was 124. Hindlekar, who complained of a bruised chest when fielding, did not bat, leaving Yorkshire winners by an innings and 82 runs.

The Score Board

INDIA—First Innings	138
YORKSHIRE—First Innings (declared for 9 wkts.)	344
INDIA—Second Innings	
Hafeez c Wood b Smailes	8
Merchant st Wood b Booth	18
Modi st Wood b Booth	16
Pataudi b Robinson	20
Hazare b Booth	18
Gul Mahomed c Wood b Robinson	9
Mankad c Hutton b Booth	2
Nayudu st Wood b Robinson	28
Banerjee l.b.w. Robinson	0
Shinde (not out)	4
Hindlekar (absent hurt)	
Extras (one bye)	1
Total	124

Fall of wickets: 1 for 15, 2 for 43, 3 for 54, 4 for 66, 5 for 81, 6 for 86, 7 for 106, 8 for 107, 9 for 124 and 10 for 124.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O	M	R	W
Smailes	8	4	9	1
Coxon	10	4	16	0
Booth	35.1	13	58	4
Robinson	33.1	13	40	4

'DAKOTA' WITH ELEVEN PASSENGERS GIVEN UP AS LOST

SINGAPORE, July 5 (Reuter). R A F. headquarters here announced today that hopes had been abandoned of finding the Dakota aircraft which is believed to have crashed in Central Malaya last Saturday.

The plane which had a crew of five and carried 11 Service passengers, was flying from Singapore to Rangoon, and is believed to have turned back near the Siamese frontier owing to bad weather conditions.

CABINET MISSION LUNCHES WITH KING

LONDON, July 5. (Reuter). The Cabinet Mission to India, Lord Pethick-Lawrence, Mr. Albert V. Alexander and Sir Stafford Cripps were received in audience by the King at Buckingham Palace today. They stayed to lunch.

VOLCANO BURSTS IN SOVIET AZERBAIJAN

LONDON, July 5. (Reuter). A new volcano has burst into eruption in the mountains of Soviet Azerbaijan, about 50 miles from Baku, Moscow Radio said today.

It started on Wednesday and since then, to the accompaniment of underground thunder, masses of liquid mud have been shot from the crater 1,800 feet into the air.

Sapru Free From Fever

ALLAHABAD, July 5. (API). After about a week's illness Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru was feeling slightly better this evening. He had no fever during the last 48 hours. His general condition continued to be weak.

D. F. Karaka:

Off My Chest

There is a small news-item which crept into the newspapers yesterday which must not be allowed to pass unnoticed. It reads as follows:

'New York, July 3: Mr. Theodore Bilbo, the anti-Negro Democratic Senator from the Southern State of Mississippi, whose term of office expires next year, appears assured of another six-year term in the U. S. Senate, where he has become known for his denunciations of Jews and Catholics as well as Negroes. With more than one-third of the votes counted in the preliminary elections in which American political parties select candidates for public offices and in which Negroes were voting, Senator Bilbo had 3,700 votes more than a combined three-man opposition"—REUTER.

By a strange coincidence, there appears in the next column of the same paper a news-item from Tientsin, China. It is headed "Locust Menace in China." The relevant part of this message reads: "While the U. S. Marines are relying on flame throwers in their battle against the locusts, both UNRRA and CNRRA are rushing supplies of poison bait, insecticide, spray, kerosene and other scientific aids in a desperate attempt to check the progress of the dreaded hoppers."

Now if I had my way, I wouldn't waste all this poison bait, insecticide, spray, kerosene and other scientific aims on locusts. All that these locusts eat are crops. But men like Senator Bilbo eat into the lives of human beings. The Senator should sometimes sneeze. His brains have long been dusty. If that doesn't cure the Senator of all the bile in him, they should try DDT, the new wonder drug. It should kill the bug in men like him.

The trouble is that no one wants to cure the Senator. The majority of his people applaud his vile denunciations of Jews, Catholics and Negroes. They return him to office to represent the deep South, "distempered" with nothing but its obstinate prejudices, with outworn ideas and with out-of-date shibboleths.

That's how it is down South in the State of Mississippi. It is democracy in all its fury. It is the voice of the people. It is liberty. It is freedom. There's nothing you or I can do—nor the United Nations—to change the ideas of Senator Bilbo and of the men and women who are electing him to office.

And to think the U. S. chooses Bikini for its blasting experiments! Ah, well!

Hurs' Attempt To Derail Train Foiled

KARACHI, July 5 (U.P.I.)

It is now established that Hurs made a vain attempt to derail the Eight Down Lahore Mail running from Lahore to Karachi between Khanvur-Rohri stations by removing the rails. The tragedy was averted by the derailment of the Down Goods Train which passed the tempered line half an hour earlier. The engine and five wagons were smashed. The Lahore Mail is running 16 hours late.

Four Hurs Die Of Heat Stroke

KARACHI, July 5. (API). Four Hurs lodged in the settlement at Dadu are reported to have died of heat stroke.

Six other Hurs, who were carrying them to the graveyard, are also said to have been attacked by heat wave and became unconscious on the way. Medical aid was rushed and they were saved.

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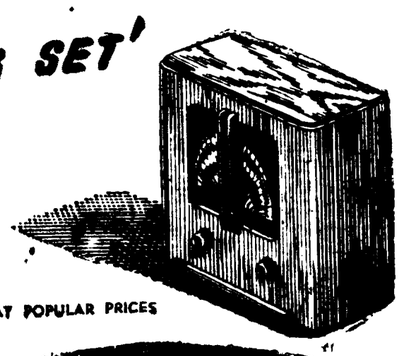

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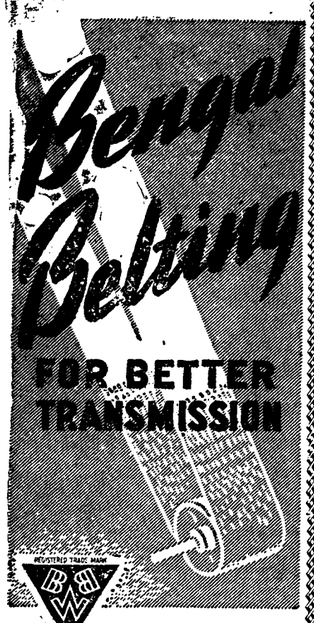

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Trilok Kapoor in Ranjit's forthcoming "Dharti".

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The main fault with our films is that most of them seem cut out of the same cloth, or rather celluloid! Originality seems a commodity rarely possessed by the Indian screen scenarist. One social film is very much like another; the same goes

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Jeevan in Prakash's forthcoming "Zamin Asman".

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Majestic: 8th Week
DIVINE MARRIAGE

That intrepid woman producer, Kamlabai Mangalorekar, has resorted to mythology in her latest offering, RUKMINI-SWAYAMWAR.

The marriage of Rukmini with Lord Krishna forms the basis of the screenplay. Ratnamala enacts the role of Rukmini, with Durga Khote as Sudhamati and veteran Baburao Pendharkar as Rukmi the man who opposed the nuptials of the divine pair.

This film was made under the baton of Baburao Painter, a pioneer of the Indian film industry.

"SHAMA" DESERTS THE BEATEN TRACK

Brief Analysis Of Minerva Production

By "Sardi"

for historical and mythological photoplays.

Unique Theme

It is refreshing to find Minerva Movietone making some kind of effort to get out of the normal rut in their latest venture, SHAMA, now in its sixth week at the MINERVA.

The theme of this picture, while reminiscent of Daphnedu Maurier's "Rebecca", is yet a novel one for our screen. It centres round the strange influence of a dead woman that haunts the household of her husband and his second wife. Though you never see the departed woman on the screen, except a painting of her, her uncanny influence from the grave is easily felt. The tension that this produces between the married couple, makes for interesting drama. The second wife patiently effaces herself till her silent suffering helps the scales to fall from her spouse's eyes and he sees the hollowness of living in a false enchantment; to the detriment of the present.

Subtle Psychology

The main roles in the film call for histrionic ability above the average, for the characters demand a subtle, delicate shading. MEHTAB and WASTI, players of experience, succeed, on the whole, in conveying the complicated feelings of the two. However, it is the director who must take the chief credit for interpreting, with sympathy, the psychological reactions of the characters to the strange situation that besets them.

This unusual drama bears the unmistakable stamp of thoroughness which we have come to associate with its producer, Sorab Modi. While the handling of the theme may not be perfect, at least we have to be grateful that our jaded palates are being

HAMARA SCREEN

CURRENT PHOTOPLAYS

Krishna: 4th Week

IN A HOTEL

Navyug's ROOM NO. 9 is a starring vehicle for Geeta Nizami. However, it does not exploit her talents as well as her maiden picture, "Panna" did.

Geeta plays the part of an heiress surrounded by sycophants who have an eye on her fortune. As usual with persons having a crowd of hangers-on around them, she mistakes a real friend for a foe till he proves his mettle and wins not only her gratitude but also her hand.

In the male lead, Shyam provides a delicious cameo in the fashion of light comedy. Suave and bland as ever, K. N. Singh plays the role of a polished crook. Directed by Vedi, this photoplay contains the lyrics of Nakshab set to music by Rashid Attra.

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Novelty: 4th Week

A WOMAN ALONE

NEK PERVIN, the D.R.D. social, presents Ragini as a woman who becomes the cynosure of a convention-ridden society, and overcomes its narrow prejudices with her forbearing ways.

Ullhas, Yakub and Kumar contribute their varied talents in supporting roles. S. M. Yusuf wielded the megaphone for this picture.

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Roxy: 3rd Week

MYTHOLOGICAL ALLEGORY

In Prafulla Pictures' SUBHADRA, director Winayak makes of mythology a debating-ground for the contrary ideals of war and peace.

A galaxy of stars scintillates in this picture: Prem Adib, Shanta Apte, Ishwarlal, Meenaxi and Shanta Rin.

The songs of Pandit Indra and the music of Vasant Desai embellish this production.

Mumtaz Shanti—female lead of "Dharti".

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served with a new and reasonably savoury dish.

No Stateness Please!

I hope, it is not asking too much of our film producers to request them to give us a greater variety in our future film menu.

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Ranjana—the heroine of "Zamin Asman".

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New West End: 3rd Week

SMALL CAUSE—GRAVE CONSEQUENCES

Chitra Productions' JHUMKE narrates the story of a little rift that causes a yawning abyss which divides a married couple. Their quarrel, arising from the wife's love of trinkets—ear-rings, as the title suggests—and the unduly suspicious nature of the husband, has repurcussions on the entire family for a whole generation.

Amarnath's music and Imtiaz Ali Taj's dialogue, bedeck this film, directed by J. K. Nanda.

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Await New Deal Of Pay Commission

Director-General Of Posts Appeals To Postmen Not To Go On Strike

BOMBAY, July 5. (A. P. I.).

That most of the demands made by the Postmen and Lower Grade (including R. M. S.) Staff Union have either been referred to adjudication or the Pay Commission and the remaining demands were too trivial in nature for the staff to have recourse to a strike for redress, a reiteration of Government's sympathetic consideration of postmen and lower grade staff demands which has been translated into a grant of Rs. 1.14 crores as interim relief in March last, are the main points of the appeal to postmen and lower grade staff made by Mr. Krishna Prasada, Director General for Posts and Telegraphs in an open letter dated July 2, 1946.

The letter also points out that while there are no grounds for the postmen's claim of "no retrenchment" there is no immediate fear of any appreciable reduction in personnel. From returns received so far it appears that only half a dozen employees out of a total of over a lakh, have been discharged. Other points in the letter bring out the illegality of the strike and the impossibility of appointing Mr. Dalvi on the Pay Commission.

The letter makes a personal appeal to the postmen and lower grade staff to consider carefully before taking such an important step, whether the issues were really big enough for drastic action involving misery to themselves and their dependents and very serious inconvenience to the public.

In the course of his letter, the Director-General, Posts and Telegraphs says: "Before I deal with the list of demands, I should give you the background of this notice. This is the third notice received by this Department within the last nineteen months. The first one was dated the 17th November, 1944, and the second dated the 12th February, 1946, and both were withdrawn on May 20, 1946. Mr. Dalvi, Honorary General Secretary of the above Union forwarded to me a copy of Resolution No. 2 passed at a special meeting of the Council of Action held on the 12th May, 1946. This Resolution required that Mr. Dalvi be appointed as a Member of the Pay Commission and included the warning that unless this was done, "this Council will be compelled to resort to the extreme step of direct action to enforce its demand in this important respect which is most vital to the interests of the employees." The Resolution also mentioned that a number of demands made by the Union in its notice of strike dated the 12th February, 1946, were not covered by the terms of reference of Adjudication or of the Pay Commission and it authorised the Honorary General Secretary to serve a notice of strike in case the Government did not concede them before the 19th June, 1946. I replied to the Honorary General Secretary that, apart from the legal validity of the strike which was threatened, the demand of the Union was unreasonable, because, if the Postmen and Lower Grade Staff of the Department could claim representation on the Pay Commission, other bodies of Government Servants, gazetted and non-gazetted, could make the same claim. There were, for instance, the Railway Staff, Press Workers, Custom officials, employees of the Finance Department and hosts of other employees who were concerned. Mr. N. M. Joshi, ex-M.L.A., a well-known Labour leader, who had been one of the Vice-Presidents of the Union from 1941 to 1944 was already a member of the Commission. (It has come to my notice within the last two days that he is the present President of the Union). In addition to him, there were represented on the Pay Commission a number of M.L.A.'s who had spoken in support of the adjournment motion moved in the Central Legislative Assembly on the 7th February, 1946. Another member of the Commission is the Hon. Mr. Hossain Imam, who was the Vice-President from 1938 to 1940 of the Indian Posts and Telegraphs' Union which represents, among others, Postmen and Lower Grade staff.

DALVI'S APPOINTMENT OMITTED

As a result of a meeting of the Conference held at Poona on the 23rd June, 1946, the Union has put before the Posts and Telegraphs Department twelve demands backed by a threat to go on strike from the 11th July, 1946, if the demands were not conceded. In the list of demands forwarded with the notice the question of the appointment of Mr. Dalvi on the Pay Commission has been omitted.

In March last, the Government of India granted generous concessions to Posts and Telegraphs employees by:—

(i) Increasing the Good Conduct Pay (which is not paid to Government servants other than those in the Posts and Telegraphs) from Rs. 7 to Rs. 12 for employees in receipt of salary below Rs. 40 and from Rs. 5 to Rs. 10 for employees in receipt of pay between Rs. 40 and Rs. 120;

(ii) Raising the limit to which increased Good Conduct Pay could be drawn from Rs. 120 per month to Rs. 160 per month;

(iii) Granting six months' arrears of Good Conduct Pay and of increase in the Dearness Allowance; and

(iv) Liberalising the pension rules for Inferior Servants. The inferior servants were allowed to draw pension up to the limit of half average pay and in addition were allowed to count half the Dearness Allowance towards pension.

The benefit in Good Conduct Pay and Dearness Allowance would entail an expenditure of One crore and fourteen lakhs of rupees. The Government of India, as has already been pointed out, have appointed a Pay Commission to examine the whole question of scales of pay, leave and pensions, and one of the specific points which the Commission is to consider is the abolition of the term 'Inferior Servants". The Commission will soon be getting to work and, as has already been announced, Government have decided to give effect to its finding from the 1st January, 1947. So it is a matter of only six months before the new scales of pay and rules about leave and pension will come into operation.

ADJUDICATION COMPLETED

The Government have further referred to Adjudication the representation of the All-India Postmen and Lower Grade Staff Union and other Service bodies that the salaries of the employees on the revised scales of pay were not adequate. You will be glad to learn that the Adjudicator has completed the hearing of the case and is expected to announce his award within the next two weeks or so.

I must draw the attention of the Postmen and Lower Grade Staff to one important feature and I do so not in order to threaten them, but simply to apprise them of the legal position so that they may not say that they were not duly warned. The Government have been advised that the present notice of strike is illegal and, therefore, the members of the All-India Postmen and Lower Grade (including RMS) Staff Union cannot go on strike without making themselves liable to penal action. So far as those Postmen and Inferior servants who are not members of the Union are concerned, they cannot, even advance the plea that a notice on their behalf has been served. If they strike work, their action also would come within the mischief of law.

I only hope that every Postman and Lower Grade Staff will bring calm judgment to bear upon these questions which affect their well-being and that of their families and, last but not the least, the public whose sympathy they will forfeit by ill-advised and hasty action.

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Delhi Union Dissociates Itself From Strike Notice

NEW DELHI July 5 (API)—Mr. J. N. S. Beg, Secretary, Indian Posts and Telegraphs Union, Delhi, has issued a statement dissociating his Union from the strike notice given by the All-India Postmen and Lower Grade Staff Union.

According to official circles, the strike, if it materialises, will mainly affect Bombay Presidency, particularly Bombay City and Suburbs and Poona. There may be sporadic strikes in other centres.

The circles added that Railway Telegraph Services maintained by the P. and T. Department are not likely to be affected by the strike, the Bombay Telegraphs Workers' Union have given notice of a sympathetic strike but even if it takes place, it will be confined to messengers and will not involve operators.

VIZAGAPATAM, July 4 (A.P.I.): All the members of the unofficial American Food Mission headed by Dr. Schulz which left Calcutta this morning for Madras and had a forced landing 18 miles north-east of Vizagapatam due to the loss of a sounder of an engine are perfectly safe.

'Chronicle Weekly'

The next issue of the "Bombay Chronicle Weekly" has a penetrating study of the Congress President-Elect—"The Significance of Jawaharlal Nehru" by K. D. Sethna—which will appeal to his admires and critics alike. Also an autographed portrait-study.

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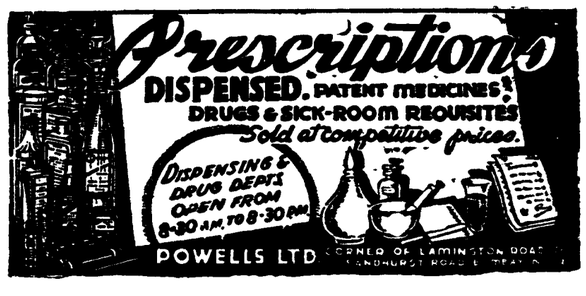
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Len Hutton's Splendid Effort Against India

By J. C. Maitra

How Dame Fortune plays an important part in the fate of a game was clearly demonstrated in the match between India and Yorkshire the second county in the English League. Pataudi won the toss and elected to bat on a perfect pitch. But a ball was bowled rain intervened and turned the wicket into a treacherous one—with the result the tourists were skittled out for the poor total of 138. Our batting order may not have much to do with this dreadful collapse. But I cannot see any sense in playing with it all the time. I wonder how long 'Pat' will take to fix up the order. With the approach of the Second Test which starts on July 20, the list should be so regulated that the team may not be routed in disorder. Will the Nawab make up his mind soon?

A COSTLY CATCH

Where India failed in a disappointing manner, Yorkshire succeeded in brilliant fashion. Thanks chiefly to Len Hutton England's opening batsman and Test record-holder for the highest individual score, the home team was able to pile up 344 runs for the loss of 9 wickets and declare. Hutton stood heroically from beginning to end without losing his wicket and contributed 183 to the total. No praise can be too high for this grand effort. It is worth noting that no opportunity was given to him to complete his double century. The Captain must have preferred to buy one or two of cheap wickets instead. His decision was a wise one.

However that may be, India had the misfortune of missing a catch through Vinoo which might have written the score of Wilson differently. Dropped at 3, he survived to compile 74 on his own account and his partnership with Hutton yielded 171. There is no doubt that this mistake will have large say in the fate of the engagement.

NAYUDU'S BOWLING FEAT

Had it not been for the deadly spell of bowling by C. S. Nayudu, I do not know where the tourists would have stood finally. The bowlers' analysis tells its own tale:—5.2 overs, 0 maiden, 16 runs, 5 wickets One may be thankful that he was given a second chance at all!

I do not blame Mankad at all for his mistake. If a player is called upon to bowl all the time and play in every match withcut rest, he cannot be expected to give of his best every time. We can only hope that he will become 'hors de combat' like Amarnath and deprive his side of his services in the Tests. In this match he bowled 49 overs!

It is said that our fielding was ragged. That's a pity!

Hinrich Shield Football

JOVENIANO'S THREE GOALS

BOMBAY, Friday.

TATA S.C.	4
H.M.I. DOCKYARD	0

What hopes the H.M.I. Dockyards had of extending the Tatas or even accounting for their redoubtable opponents during the first half of their match this evening were laid to rest during the very first minute after the break when Joveniano put the Tatas in the lead.

The first half saw the Dockyards venture again and again into their opponents goal area only to be foiled by Tata's last three defenders but for whom the score would have been in favour of the losers during the first half. Right-in Middlecoat was outstanding by his tirelessness.

Joveniano beat Mettur with a beautifully headed shot from a pass by left out Peter. The same player missed another chance of scoring but atoned for it almost immediately. He took possession of the ball and shot from about 30 yards distance. The H.M.I.D. Custodian thought the ball would go over the bars and made no attempt to stop it. Peter got the third goal which bounced into the net off the bars. Joveniano completed the score by just managing to get past Mettur who charged and was eluded. The ball was about to go out of the field of play.

The Teams:—

THE TATAS:—Thingalaya; Mandon and Papen; Anantram, Shetty and Damodar; Menzes, Krishnan, Joveniano, Krishnamurthy and Peter. H.M.I. DOCKYARDS:—Mettur; Sampeys and Dhankoti; Middlecoat, Rodrigues and McMurray; Vandocum, Alexander, Vickers, Robertson and Bhagat.

To-day's match at 5-45 p.m.: Trades vs. G.I.P.

Five Indians Charged With Trespass

COLOMBO, July 4. (A. P. I.): Six Indian labourers of the Knavesmere estate including four women who were charged with criminal trespass appeared at the Kegalle Magistrate's Court yesterday. The accused stated that they had been charged earlier in separate cases. Five of these were asked to give bail of 400 rupees each and the cases were fixed for trial.

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Karnik Says Increase In Cloth Prices Unjust

NEW DELHI, July 5. (API.) "The decision of the Textile Control Board to raise the prices of cloth will come as a most disagreeable surprise and shock to the general public in the country", says Mr. V. B. Karnik, General Secretary, Indian Federation of Labour and member Distribution Committee of the Textile Control Board. The decision has come at a time when the public are expecting a reduction in prices as a result of stoppage of war orders on the one hand and the abolition of the E.P.T. on the other, he adds.

The excuse of increased labour costs given by the Chairman of the Board is most disingenuous. Reduction of hours does not neoessarily lead to reduction of production. In the case of Textile mills it is confidently expected that it will lead to increased production of cloth. It will enable the millowners to run more shifts per day which will also reduce the over head charges. Under the circumstances introduction of an eight-hour day cannot be any valid ground for raising prices.

It cannot be forgotten, moreover, that the millowners have just received a very substantial and most undeserved concession, namely, the abolition of the Excess Profits Tax. That will save them lakhs and crores which they were paying to the Government by way of the E.P.T. A major part of this concession ought to have been transferred to the general public by reduction of prices and to workers through higher wages and better living conditions.

Far from doing that the millowners are trying to increase their already inflated profits by increasing prices. The increases effected are again most unjust and unfair. The prices of coarse cloth are increased by eight per cent. The bulk of the increase will, therefore fall on that section of the general public which is least able to bear it.

This action of the Textile Control Board should throw a flood of light on the working of the Board. It was brought into existence to control the textile industry. But the industry has acquired control of the Board. This has enabled the industry to secure for itself increased prices when the whole trend is in the direction of reduction of prices. Will the Government interfere and stop this use of a governmental machinery for the private profit of the industry. In any case the Government must refuse to sanction the present increase which is both unfair as well as unwarranted.

CITY INCIDENTS

BOMBAY, Friday.

The Vigilance Branch of the C.I.D is now busy trying to root out rampant prostitution in the city.

S. I. Haldipur, of the Vigilance Branch C.I.D., who was actively engaged in tracking down culprits, had to jump out of his running car to overpower one of them.

The victim, Tarakchandra Dhar, approached a bogus cutomer in a motor taxi at Shivaji Park. He was alleged to have offered to supply a film actress for a sum of Rs. 60.

The customer having agreed, they drove in a taxi followed by the suspect and the C.I.D. officer.

The suspect was subsequently arrested and was ordered to be remanded into police custody till July 18.

INQUEST POSTPONED

Three witnesses were examined at an inquest held on Bamanji Irani, aged 80, T. M. Nanavatty and three young Hindu women who died due to severe burns caused by the fire at Thakurdwar on 12th May.

Jamnadas Kotecha, the proprietor of the Modern Industrial Home where the fire broke out, giving an evidence said that "No smoking" notices were displayed in the factory. In the manufacture of the buttons, no light or nacked fire was necessary. The monthly consumption of methylated spirit of the factory was five gallons. The proprietor at length enumerated the articles that were lying in the factory on the day of fire. He added that he had followed the instructions of the Municipality and he got the licence after satisfying the Municipality.

A. K. Siddique of Memanwada Fire Brigade said that his Brigade engine arrived first on the spot. Before they arrived the factory was already in flames. He did not know what was the cause of fire. Mr. DeSouza of Municipality Licence Department also gave his evidence.

Further examination is postponed to 9th July.

VERDICT OF SUICIDE

The adjourned inquest on the death of Mrs. Allu Mancherji Batliwala, a 22-year old medical student who committed suicide by taking poisonous tablets on 29th May, was held yesterday afternoon before the Coroner of Bombay. Two letters which the deceased wrote to her husband and her younger sister were read in the court. The father and the husband of the deceased stated that she was happily living with her husband. The Jury giving a verdict said that the deceased died due to poisoning caused by the Garbenal tablets which she swallowed in a depressed state of mind.

Inquest On 22-Year-Old Boy

An inquest on 22-year-old Mafatlal Bhogilal Shah who was killed by the military firing during the R.I.N. disturbances on 22nd February was held yesterday before the Coroner of Bombay.

Sub-Inspector Patwa of Maharbouri Police Station, giving an evidence said that on 22nd morning a crowd of 500 rioters had gathered near Prarthana Samaj. The rioters had already set a Police 'chowki' on fire and they were attempting to break the Imperial Bank. After some time, the Police and the military came on the spot.

Giving a verdict, the Jury said that the deceased died due to bullet wound which he received when the Police and the military resorted to firing in self-defence on 22nd February.

PROPAGANDA TEXT-BOOKS

PARIS, July 4. (Reuter): The International Congress of Teachers, at its final session here today, passed a resolution favouring the use of propaganda in text books and other media to destroy the spirit of distrust between nations and foster world co-operation.

THEY SAVED INDIA FROM BECOMING BATTLEFIELD

BATH, July 4. (Reuter): Professor Harold Laski congratulated the Government on their intention to give free relationship between India and Britain at a meeting of the Bath Labour Party, tonight. The Government were seeking to prevent India becoming a second Ireland and in his opinion they had stopped India from becoming a battlefield, he added. With regard to the evacuation of Egypt, he saw no reason for alarm and despondency.

Training Of R.I.N. Personnel

Naval Authorities Prepare Special Scheme

KARACHI, July 4. (A.P.I.): The Naval authorities in India have prepared a special scheme for the future training of R. I. N. personnel. Under the scheme ships are to be gradually commissioned to take selected staff of R. I. N. around the Indian coast and put them in contact with various sections.

The voyage is expected to widen their outlook and they would be able to know how much the future of India lies on the sea. The voyages may also include visits to islands stretching from South Burma to North Sumatra, the Andamans and the Nicobars and the beautiful harbour of Port Blair.

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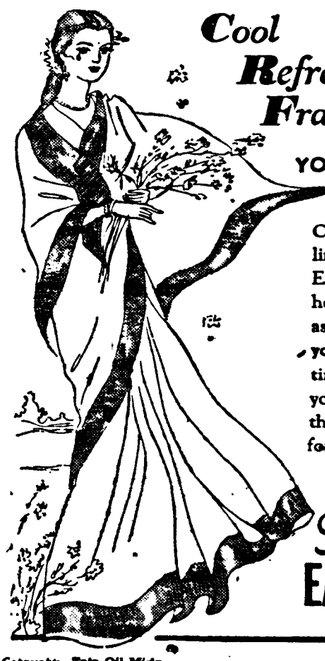

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Statement by Mr. Hoover (Ex-President, U. S. A.) at Bangalore on April 26.

OUR PLEDGE AND OUR APPEAL

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SIND TUSSLE OVER LEAGUE NOMINATIONS

Premier Does Not Want Ministers To Be Elected To Constituent Assembly

KARACHI, July 4 (A.P.I.): The directive of the Muslim League High Command to elect two Ministers, Khan Bahadur Khuhro and Pirzada Abdul Satar to the Constituent Assembly has led to a controversy in Muslim League circles here, particularly as the Premier Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah is opposed to any Minister being elected to the Contituent Assembly. The Premier holds the view that the membership of the Constituent Assembly is a fulltime job and a Minister, if he is elected a member of the Constituent Assembly, cannot do justice to his office work as he will be away from headquarters for a long period.. He told pressmen yesterday that he would like to know how it would be possible for the Ministers to attend both to their duties as Ministers and the work of the Constituent Assembly.

KHUHRO'S DEFENCE

Quite divergent view was expressed by Khan Bahadur Khuhro today. K. B. Khuro referred to the Congress policy of electing some Congress Premiers and Ministers to the Constituent Assembly and said that if they could do justcie to their work there was no reason why the Sind Ministers could not be able to do likewise. He felt that after drafting its programme the Constituent Assembly would split itself into three groups which would continue to work separately. He would, therefore, be able to attend Sind Cabinet meeting and also decide important matters of policy concerning his Department here.

Pir Illahi Bux, Revenue Minister, lent support to the contention of Khan Bahadur Khuhro and said that if they had able men to perfrm both duties there could be no difficulty. The Premier Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah, however has convened a meeting of the League Parliamentary party for July 9th to consider the subject.

Sheikh Abdul Majid Put Up By Syed Group

KARACHI, July 4. (U.P.I.): It is understood that the non-League Muslim members of the Sind Assembly are setting up Sheikh Abdul Majid for the Constituent Assembly. Their present strength is seven. Mr. G. M. Syed, their leader, told the "United Press of India" that he hoped to win over the support of two Muslims from the Ministerial Party ranks to ensure the success of Sheikh Abdul Majid and thus capture one out of the three seats allotted to the Sind Muslims.

Further League Nominees

NEW DELHI, July 4 (A.P.I.)—The Central Parliamentary Board of the All-India Muslim League has made the following further selections for the Constituent Assembly:

UNITED PROVINCES

Nawab Mohammed Ismail Khan Saheb, Choudhry Khaliquzzaman Saheb, Raja Mohammed Amir Ahmad Khan of Mahmudabad, Begum Aziz Rasool, M.L.C., Syed Rizwanullah, M.L.A., Moulvi Aziz Ahmed Khan, M.L.A. and Maulana Hasrat Mohani, M.L.A.

BOMBAY

Mr. I. I. Chundrigar, M.L.A. and Mr. Abdul Kadir Shaikh M.L.A

BIHAR

Mr. U. Hussain Imam, Member Council of State, Moulvi Latifur Rahman, M.L.A., Syed Tajammul Hussain M.L.A., Syed Jafar Imam, M.L.A. and Mr. Mohd. Tahir, M.L.A.

PUNJAB

Nawab Mohd. Iftikhar Hussain Khan of Mamdot and Mian Iftikhar Uddin M.L.A.

Assam Europeans To Stay Out

CALCUTTA, July 4 (API.)

European members in the Assam Legislative have decided not to set up any candidate from among themselves for election to the Constituent Assembly, says a report from its Gauhati office published by the Hindusthan Standard. The report adds that "their attitude in reference to participation in voting remains undecided till nod."

Assembly Session Will Be 'In Camera'

NEW DELHI, July 4 (U.P.I.): It is gathered that the press and the public may be kept out when the Constituent Assembly will be in session. It is being considered desirable to hold the session "in camera" so that individual members of political groups may give vent to their feelings in pursuance of the cause they may espouse without in any way embarrassing them by giving a premature and unauthenticated publicity to their views. The Constituent Assembly Chamber is being constructed in the Council House Library in such a way that the present outer circle may be retained and utilised by the members both as lobby and library with book shelves and almirahs kept as they are. No press or visitors' galleries are being provided in the Chamber.

Jewish Traitor Sentenced To Death

SALONIKA, July 4, (Reuter): Vitali Hasson, Jewish traitor, who was said to have helped Germans in deporting 50,000 Salonika Jews to the Belsen and Auschwitz concentration camps, was sentenced to death here today.

Hasson, who was reputed to have buried immense riches extorted from his Jewish victims, was found guilty of supplying Nazis with data for their deportations and betraying Jews in hiding.

Two Armenians found guilty of similar offences were sentenced to death in their absence.

A fourth man was given 15 years imprisonment.

SANCTIONED CASH REWARDS CANCELLED

The Government orders sanctioning cash rewards to the following four servicemen have been cancelled as they are not domiciled in Bombay Province: Jem Rajaram Sawant, I. D. S. M. 5 Royal Mahrattas; Havildar Maruthi More, I.D.S.M., Mahratta Light Infantry; L/Nk. Dhanaji Khanvilkar, M. M. Mahratta Light Infantry; and Sub. Tukaram Shewale, M. C. Mahratta Light Infantry.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE NEWS

GANESHKHIND, July 5 (A.P.I.)—The Governor of Bombay presided over a meeting of the Council of Ministers at the Council Hall this morning.

His Excellency granted an interview to Mr. B. G. Kher.

PAREL WORKSHOP MEN ON STRIKE

Union Leader's Charge Against Works Manager

D. S. Vaidya, Vice-President, G.I.P. Railwaymen's Union, has issued the following statement:

To-day is the fourth day of the strike of 10,000 men of the G.I.P. workshop at Parel. The clerks have also joined in.

The issues involved are simple Despite the express orders of the Director, Railway Board, the Works Manager, Parel, has allowed 24 of his favourites, who have reached the age-limit, to continue in service thus denying over 140 men, serving on lower grades under them, their right to promotion. The men resent this as it threatens to establish a dangerous precedent.

The second grievance concerns hundreds of junior staff men temporarily working on the senior grade These men are paid the wages for the senior grade only on condition that they put in 21 days of continuous service in a month (26 days) Thus if any such worker happens to fall ill, as is often the case, even on the 20th day, he forfeits his claim to the higher wage, no matter if he worked for it the whole month.

The workers have suffered long enough. They called off the General Strike only because they wanted to stand by the people. It is now for the people and their leaders to stand by the men.

STRIKE OF INDIA UNITED MILLS STAFF

The General Secretary of the India United Mills Staff Union writes:

Friday was the fourth successive day of the strike of the technical and clerical staff of the India United Mills, who number about 800. As a consequence of the strike all the six mills in the group are not working and about 18,000 workers are obliged to remain idle. It is estimated that fifty to fifty-four thousand rupeees per day will be lost to the company by way of wages to these workers.

NEWSPRINT MISSION SUCCESSFUL

Devadas Gandhi Says Crisis Tided Over

LONDON, July 5 (Reuter): Mr Devadas Gandhi, who has visited Britain, Canada and Scandinavia, in search for newsprint for Indian newspapers, is leaving London for India by air late tonight.

He is due to reach Bombay on July 8.

In a message to "Reuter", Mr Gandhi said: 'During the short time I have been in London I have been able to finish a number of outstanding matters of business in connection with the activities of the mission. In retrospect it does appear that the efforts of my colleague, Mr. Ramnath Goenka of "The Indian Express" group, and myself entitle us to feel, as representatives of Indian newspapers, that we have met with a measure of success. We embarked on the mission when the newsprint situation in India was in a state of real crisis and in consequence of our travels and efforts to secure more newsprint we have been helped out, and today the newsprint sent to India has undergone transformation for the better. A short while ago it appeared that next year the Indian newspapers would have much less newsprint than at present, but now we are entitled to believe that we shall have in India a little more newsprint than this year. This is extremely satisfactory and members of the newsprint mission are grateful for the assistance and goodwill that has been generally shown to them and also to Mr. Derek Currie who accompanied us."

Master's Stand Endorsed

CALCUTTA, July 5 (A.P.I.): Endorsing the attitude taken up by Mr. Master, Indian employers' delegate to the International Maritime Labour Conference at Seattle, U.S., in withdrawing from the conference as a protest against some allegations reported to have been made by Mr. Jarman, British seamen's delegate, Mr. Walchand Hirachand, President of the Indian National Steamship Owners Association, has sent the following cable to the President of the I.L.C.:

"The Committee of the Indian National Steamship Owners Association of Bombay deeply regret the unfortunate controversy which has arisen between the Indian shipowner delegate, Mr. Master, and the British seamen's delegate, Mr. Jarman following the latter's allegations against the former. The committee of this Association have to make it clear that no such letter, as mentioned by Mr. Jarman during his observations at the conference, as reported in the Indian Press, was received by this association, nor by the head office of the Scindia Steam Navigation Company directly from the Seamen's Federation or any other similar body.

"We, therefore, feel that the allegation against Mr. Master should have been withdrawn. We regret that the Indian shipowners delegate was not afforded protection by the chair, which was his due and the conciliatory appeal of Mr. Vellodi, Government of India delegate, received no response from Mr. Jarman who continued to repeat his allegations, despite Mr. Master's statements. The committee, therefore, desire to lodge their protest against the treatment meted out to the Indian shipowners delegate and fully endorse Mr. Master's attitude."

Bill To Safeguard Khoti Tenants

Protection of Khoti tenants' rights is aimed at in a bill to amend the Khoti Settlement Act, 1880, prepared by the Government of Bombay and published in the Bombay Government Gazette of July 3, 1946.

The object of the Bill is to safeguard adequately the rights and interests of the various classes of Khoti tenants so that they will be in a position to resist any exploitation by unscrupulous Khots. With this end in view the Government has already applied section 14 to 31 of the Bombay Tenancy Act to the Khoti villages and the Bill seeks to bring the Khoti Settlement Act in line with these sections.

DRY WHOLE-MILK POWDER FOR SCARCITY DISTRICTS

The Government of Bombay has ordered some quantity of dry-whole milk full-cream powder from the U.S.A. for use in the scarcity districts.

Eight hundred tons of this powder have already arrived and these are being despatched to the seven scarcity districts where the powder will be reconstituted into liquid milk and distributed free of charge to the vulnerable sections of the population particularly at the scarcity relief works camps.

Local Bodies' Financial Position Deteriorates

Sequel To Heavy Arrears Of Taxes And Payment Of Dearness Allowance To Staff

"It is regrettable to note that the financial position of the local bodies still continued to be generally unsatisfactory," says the Annual Report on the working of the Local Audit Department, Bombay, for the year 1944-45.

The report adds: "It may, however, be said to the credit of some of them that they had made efforts to improve their position by tapping additional sources of income, but such increases did not tend towards any improvement as they were largely absorbed in the payment of dearness allowance to staff and in meeting additional expenditure due to abnormal rise in prices of materials, etc. The usual expedients of carrying on the financial administration by resorting to the utilization of earmarked funds for general purposes, or drawing upon accumulated reserves of the past, or postponing liabilities incurred, constituted a common feature.

ARREARS OF TAXES

"As regards arrears of taxes, there were heavy arrears, exceeding 25 per cent of the total demand, in the case of Athni, Bagalkot, Godhra, Gokak, Karmala, Nandurbar, Nipani, Rander, Shirpur, and Sirsi Municipalities, the worst offenders being Bhiwandi and Sinner Municipalities in whose case the arrears exceeded 50 per cent. It is however creditable to note that the tradition of 'nil' arrears has been consistently maintained for the last several years by the Alandi and Khed Municipalities, while in the case of Bulsar, Jambusar and Hubli Municipalities, the arrears were less than 1 per cent.

"Except for the deteriorating financial condition of some of the District Local Boards, the general administration of Local Boards was, on the whole, fairly satisfactory.

SCHOOL BOARDS

"Several of the School Boards whose finances were unsound were unable even to disburse the pay of primary teachers on the due dates."

During the year under report, the periods of supersession were further extended in the case of two municipalities, one District Local Board, three District School Boards, and one Municipal School Board while four more Municipalities and four District Local Boards were superseded due either to maladministration, persistent default in the performance of obligatory duties or deadlock in administration.

The report is under consideration of the Government whose orders on it will be issued in due course.

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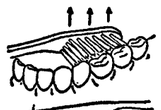

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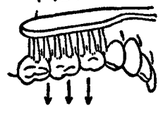

OUTSIDE BACK MOLARS.

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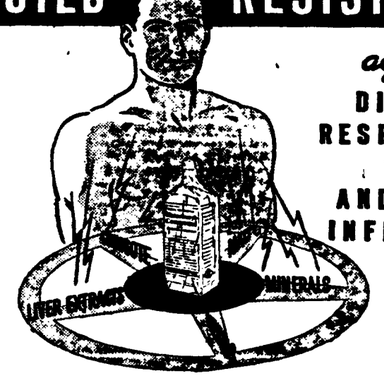

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Sharp Rise In Steel And Dyeing Shares

SLUMP IN BULLION PRICES ON REPORTED FREE SALES BY MEXICO

Cotton Market Quiet With Moderate Liquidation

Bombay, July 5.

The Stock Exchange renewed normal trading to-day and under anxious buying and short covering the market displayed cheerful tone with considerable activity in favourite shares.

Tata Steel and Bombay Dyeing shares led the upward move under professional support. As pointed out before these shares are actively supported by financially strong parties. Tata Steel shares are manipulated on hopes of higher dividends while Bombay Dyeings are firming on buying by a pool. The market looks like reaching new high levels and short sales seem risky.

The future of the market entirely depends upon dividends on Tata Steel shares which will be declared this month. A section looks for some increase with a view to satisfy labour under the profit sharing bonus scheme.

The market opened steady at Rs. 3240 for Tata Steel Dfd. shares and gradually moved up at Rs. 3261, Ordinary shares opened at Rs. 572 and after advancing to Rs. 574 reacted at Rs. 572.

Bombay Dyeing shares were active with increased buying. At the opening these shares were quoted at Rs. 2647 and steadily rose to Rs. 2680 and steadied at Rs. 2675. Kohinoor Mill shares opened at Rs. 945 and improved at Rs. 950. Other Mill shares including India United also moved up, Scindia shares were quietly steady at Rs. 58/8.

There was persistent buying and the market remained firm throughout the session. Tata Steel Dfds. improved further at Rs. 3271 while Ordinary shares hardened at Rs. 575. Bombay Dyeing reached a new high level of Rs. 2688 and Kohinoors improved at Rs. 955. Apollo Mill shares were steady at Rs. 5/12 and India United Dfds advanced at Rs. 5/0/9 Central India shares were done at Rs. 480 and Gokaks improved at Rs. 405, Simplex X.D. were placed at Rs. 455, Associated Cements were steady at Rs. 262 and Bellapurs were quoted at Rs. 335, Bombay Burmas were steady at Rs. 780. The market closed at about the highest level of the day with a firm tone.

As a result of day's action Tata Steel Dfds. gained Rs. 67, Ordinary Rs. 11, Dyeings Rs. 66, Kohinoor Rs. 16, Swadeshi Rs. 17, Nagpurs Rs. 16 and Bellapurs Rs. 3.

TEXTILES.

Bombay Dyeing 2686/4 Century 1105 Central India 484 Swadeshi 851 New Great 544 Simplex 456 X.D. Kohinoor 955 Colaba 446/4 Gokak 405 Phoenix 1035 Mysore 350 Indian Bleaching 268 Swan 484 Finlay 461 Morarji 895 Indore 986/4

STEEL

Tata Steel Deferred 3272/8 Tata Steel Ordinary 576

ELECTRIC SHARES

Tata Hydro 239/8 Andhra Valley 2015 Tata Powet 2137/8 Tram (Ord) 165

CEMENT

Asso. Merger 259/8

INDUSTRIES

Burma 795 Alcock 675 Bellapur 335/8 Shivrajpur 59/4 Steamer (Ord) 852/8 Scindia 58/12 Premier Construction 356

CASH SHARES (TEXTILES)

Apollo 5/12 Elphinstone 115/8 India United (Ord) 23 India United (Def.) 5 India Manufacturing 4600 Coorla 375 Khatau 472/8 Dawn 1400 David 2300 New City 336/4 Minerva 272/8 Bradbury 600 Bharucha (Dfd) 18 Bharat 74/8 Madhavji 23/8 Model 318/12 Laxmi Cotton 1960 Vishnu Cotton 817/8 Western 4600 Standard 710 Sholapur 10,000 Sassoon Cotton 31/4 Hindustan 4600 Meyer Sassoon 347/8 Edward 825 Tata [illegible] Ahmedabad Advance 527/8 Sassoon Silk 115 New Indian 31/4 Podar 420 Madhusudan 560 Madhusudan B 113 Shrinivas 510 Raja Bahadur 136/4 Berar 420 Victoria 425

ELECTRIC SHARES (CASH)

Ahmedabad 222/8 (New) 121/4 Surat (Ord) 257/8 (New) Broach 14 Ajmer 16 Amalgamated 20/12 Jaigaon 14/12 Nagpur 55 Poona 305 Bombay Suburban 245 Bombay Suburban (New) 160

BANK SHARES

Reserve 176/8 Imperial 3185 P. P. 830 Central 145/8 India 272/8 Union 19/8 Baroda 217/12 Habib 133 ABC 58 Dena Bank 74 United Commercial 131 Jaipur 86 Hindustan Commerce [illegible] National Savings (fully paid) 88/4 National Savings (part paid) 54/8 Mysore [illegible] Eastern 111

INSURANCE

Oriental 8435 Empire 1330 New India 119 Jupiter 56/8 Vulcan 26 Indian Mercantile 86 Universal Fire 17/4 Vasant 26/4 British India General 56/8 Industrial Prudential 68 Neptune 13/4 New Great 43 All-India General 62/8.

RAILWAYS

Ahmedabad Prantij 697/8 C.P. 105 Pachora 95

MISCELLANEOUS

Burma New 805 Burma [illegible] 6/15/6 Tata Oil [illegible] Kemp 510 Zandu Pharmacy 218/2 Indian Radio (Ord) 371/4 and an Radio B 375 Indian Radio 375 Indian Investment Trust 139 Wimco 555 Tata Chemical 27/12 Dharamsey Chemical 48/8 Mukund Iron 15/2 Dena Trust 27 Alembic 407/8 Supreme India 190 (new) [illegible] 149 Bombay Uganda 85 Bombay Motor Cycle 43/8 Indian Cement 42 Walchandnagar Industries 555 United Motor 46 ACC (New) 124/8 Baroda Glass 10/12.

PREFERENCE SHARES

Tata Steel (1st Pref) 273/8 Tata Steel (2nd Pref) 202 [illegible] 74 Andhra Valley 1675 Tata Power 1810 Hydro 180 Bombay Steamer 352/8 Swadeshi 140 Visaka 510 [illegible] New Great 268/12 Podar 115 Shriniwas 101 Elphinstone 147/8 Bradbury 591/4 Surat Ele. 211/4 Premier Construction (1st Pref) 155 (2nd Pref) 152/4 Amalgamated 156/4 Habib 72 Tata Chemical 150 Walchandnagar Industries 550 Jupiter 19/12 Supreme 120 Baroda Glass 11/12

OUTSIDE SHARES

Indian Iron and Steel 66/10 Bengal Steel 58/10 Indian Copper 5/5/6 B. I. C. 16 Burma Corporation 7/5 New Victoria Mill 10 New Victoria Pref. 11 Raja Pref 66 Phaltan 143 Gold Mohur 45b New Kaiser Hind 2550 Sajjan Mill 510 Osmanshahi 441/4 Ajanshahi 430 Air Service 41 Birla Motor 11/1 Marshal 15/3.

GOLD AND SILVER

BOMBAY, July 5.

The local bullion market again weakened to-day on renewed selling and quotations were marked down. The general confidence is improved and there remains utter absence of any important support.

Silver market opened to-day at Rs. 165 and declined at Rs. 163/4 under renewed selling pressure. Later on there was some short covering and the market rallied at Rs. 163/14. Ready Silver was quoted at Rs. 163/8.

Gold opened at Rs. 102/9 and quietened at Rs. 102/4 under scattered selling. Sovereigns were placed at Rs. 67/4.

At the decline there was moderate buying and short covering which hardened silver at Rs. 164/7 and Gold was steady at Rs. 102/8.

In the afternoon the market slumped on extension selling pressure and Silver declined at Rs. 162/8 and Gold dropped at Rs. 98/12. The market was greatly unsettled on a sudden rush of sellers. The market was influenced by reports of free sales of Gold and Silver by Mexico. Final Quotations were as under

Ready Silver	161	10	0
Forward Silver	162	0	0
Ready Gold	99	4	0
Forward Gold	99	2	0

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, July 5.

The local cotton market opened at 1-30 p.m. as a mark of respect to the death of a member of the Exchange.

The market opened at Rs. 475 for September delivery but declined at Rs. 474/8 under scattered selling. At the decline there was renewed buying and September improved at Rs. 475/8 while July was quoted at Rs. 465. The market was steady with a moderate business.

Later on there was some selling and September was quoted at Rs. 474/8 and July was quoted at Rs. 464. Tone was quiet.

Later on the market quietened at Rs. 472/4 for September on renewed liquidation. The market closed at 5-30 p.m. as under:

I C C July	461	4	0
I C C Sept.	472	12	0

INDIAN COTTON PARITY

Indian cotton September contract is 1283 cent points below New York October at Exchange rate 331.

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

BOMBAY, July 4.

	Hi.	Lo.	Close
I.C.C. July	464	461	462/4
I.C.C. Sept.	474/8	471/8	472/12
Karachi July	49/14	49/7/6	49/11

COTTON TENDERS

BOMBAY, July 4.

	Today	Total
I.C.C. Jarilla Sept.	5,360	13,050

BOMBAY PRODUCE

BOMBAY, July 5.

The Produce market was fairly steady with improved inquiry for spot groundnuts. Khandesh quality was quoted at Rs. 26/4. Later Bold Rs. 24/12 and Coromandal at Rs. 25/8. Groundnut Oil Mills delivery Rs. 17/12 to Rs. 18. Tank Wagon condition Rs. 17/2 and July August Rs 16/6 Castorseeds Bombay delivery at Rs. 23. Navlakhi Rs. 23/4 and Goa Rs. 23/2. Linseed Ready and July August Rs 24/12. Navlakhi Rs. 25. Vazagapatam Rs. 23. U. P. Linseed sellers at Rs 23/4

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

BOMBAY, July 5

Tata Ordinary 576 Tata Deferred 3272/8 Indian Iron 66/10 Steel Corpn. of Bengal 58/10 Bombay Dyeing 2681/4 Central India 483/12 Century 1117/8 Gokak 405 Kohinoor 956/4 Simplex XD 456 Andhra Valley 2015 Tata Hydro 239/6 Tata Power 2137/8 Associated Cement 259/8 Belapur 335/10 Bombay Burma (Old) 795

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RECORD OF ACTUAL TRANSACTIONS IN SHARES.

BOMBAY, July 5.

MILLS

A. Advance 527/8
Apollo 5/8 5/14 5/12
Bharat 74 74/8
B. Dyeing 2650 63/12 53/12 60 55 82/8 72/8 77/8 72/8 90 83/12 87/8 86/4
Bradbury (Ord) 600
Central I. (Ord) 474 72 78 76 81 78 85 84
Century 1105
Colaba 446/4
Elphinstone (Ord) 114 12 16 14 15/8
Elphinstone (Pref) 147/8
Finlay 465 60 65 59 61
Gokak 395 401 397 405 2 6 5
India United (Defd) 5/5/1 4/14/6 4/15/6 4/14/6 5/0/6 4/15/9 5
India United (Ord) 22/7 22/10 22/8 22/7 22/6 22/12 22/12 22/13 22/12 23
Indore 980 72/8 85 77/8 91/4 83/12 95 86/4
Kohinoor 943 47 46 49 44 46 42 43 40 50 46 48 46 55 52 57 54 55
Laxmi 1960
Madhusudan 577/8 75 80
Meyer 346/4 50 47/8
Minerva 272/8
Model 315 13/12
Morarji 895
New City 325 36/4
New Great 542 39 44/8 42 44
Podar 415 25
Sassoon Cotton 28/8 31/4
Shrinivas 510
Simplex 450 51 47 48/8 56 53 56 54/8 56
Swadeshi 838 43 38 49 44 51
Swan 480 84
Tata Mills 141/8 41 42/8 42
Visnnu 817/8

BANKS.

A. B. C. 58
Baroda 217/12
Central 144/8 46/4 45 45/8
Exchange 80 81
Habib 136
Imperial (Old) 3160 99 85
Imperial (New) 830
India 273 70 72/8
International 43/12
Reserve 176 77/8 76/8
Union 19/12 19/8

ELEC. COS.

Ahmedabad 222/8
Andhra Valley 2000 2015
Tramway (Ord) 170/8 67/8 69 65
Tramway (Pref) 73/8 74/12 74
Hydro (Ord) 238 39/8
Hydro (Pref) 180
Power (Ord) 2127/8 42/8 37/8
Power (Pref) 1810.

INSURANCE COS.

British India 36/8
Jupiter 56/8
New India 117/8 20 12 20 19
Oriental 8475
Bombay Steam 847/8 55 52/8
Scindia 59 59/3 58/8 59/2 58/12
Bengal Steel 58/8 58/6 58/11 58/10
I. Iron 66/2 66/10 66/6 66/12 66/10
Tata (Defd) 3240 52/8 40 62/8 57/8 70 60 65 56/4 75 65 72/8
Tata (Ord) 570/8 73/6 68 73/8 72 73 71/8 73 72 76 75 76
Tata (2nd Pref) 202 2/8 2

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock 675
A. Cement 262 63/8 58/8 59/8 58 59/8
Belapur 337 33 35 33 35/8
Burma (Old) 792/8 77/8 85 82/8 95
Burma (New) 307/8 3/12 5
B. B. Petrol 7 6/12 6/15/6
I. Bleaching 257 58
I. I. Trust 139
P. Const. Ord. 357 59 55 59/8 55 56
Shivrajpur 59/4
Tata Chemical (Ord) 27/4 27/12
Tata Oil 133 33/8 31/8 34 33
Western India Match 530 70 55
Kurla Mills 375
A.C.C. (New) 124/8 24 25 24/4 24/8
Zandu 220 18/2

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LONDON BULLION.

London, July 4.

Silver Spot 44 d., Forward 44 d. Gold Bars Fine per oz. 168/12/3.

LONDON WHEAT.

London, July 4.

Australian Wheat (bag) 64/6 July-Aug. quoted.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, July 4.

	£
Rupee Paper 3 1/2 p c	76-3/4
Consols 2 1/2 p c	96-15/16
Conversion Loan 3-1/2 p c 1961	111-5/8
War Loan 3 1/2 p c 1952 and later	106-5/8
Funding Loan 4 p c 1960/90	117
Victory Bonds 4 p c	118-7/16
Chartered Bank of I. A. and China	11-5/16
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank (London Reg.)	88
National Bank of India	39-1/2

NEW YORK COTTON WEEKLY REVIEW

NEW YORK, July 3.

After the upward spiral of approximately 4 dollars a bale on the heavy buying rush touched off by the expiration of price control, the market slumped as the bullish sentiment was dampened by uncertainty of the course of Congressional action to restore the O.P.A. Fears of a consumers strike were further unsettling. However the downward movement was orderly as a result of reduced margin requirements. In the latter connection the general consensus of opinions is that this will restore the desired liquidity to the market in contrast with the wide fluctuations which prevailed below the much higher Government margin requirements. Weather and crop news as well as the acreage report scheduled for publication on July 8 were back grounded by the importance attached to Washington price control developments. In the export department Great Britain, France, Italy and Spain are inquiring for supplies with several forward sales consumated. According to Southern advices the C.C.C. it is reported is planning to purchase cotton in the open market in order to insure continued flow of staple to occupied Germany and Japan. Meanwhile the spot situation is becoming tighter with offerings extremely scarce.

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, July 5.

B. C. Rates T T D D 1/5 15/16.
London Banks Selling T T. D. D. 1/5 31/32
London Banks Buying T. T. 1/6 1/32 to 9th months.
London Banks Buying T. T. 1/6 1/16 10th-12th months.
London Banks Buying D. D. 1/6 1/16 to 4th months.
London Banks Buying D. D. 1/6 3/32 5th and 6th months.
London Banks Buying D. D. 1/6 1/8 7th and 9th months.
London Banks Buying 90 d/st 1/6 5/32 to 4th months.
London Banks Buying 90 d/st 1/6 3/16 5th and 6th months.
London Banks Buying 90 d/st 1/6 7/32 7th and 9th months.
New York B. C. Rate T. T. Rs. 332 1/2
New York Banks Selling T T. D. D Rs. 332 1/2
New York Banks Buying T. T. Rs 329 3/4
New York Banks Buying D. D. Rs 328 3/4 under L/C
New York Banks Buying D. D. Rs 328 1/2 not under L/C
Montreal Banks Selling T. T. D D Rs. 302 1/2
Montreal Banks Buying T. T. Rs. 299
Montreal Banks Buying D D. Rs 297 3/4 one month.
Paris Banks Selling T T Fcs 3550
Paris Banks Buying T T Fcs 3650
Amsterdam Banks Selling T T D D Fl. 78.
Java Bank Selling T. T. D D —
Hongkong Banks Selling T T D D Rs. 83 1/4.
Singapore Banks Selling T T D D Rs. 157

CROSS RATES

New York/London 403 3/8,4.03-1/2
London/Hongkong 1/2 13/16,1/3 3/32
London/Singapore 2/3 15/16-2/4 5/32
London/Paris Fcs. 479.70 480.30
London/Belgium Fcs. 176-1/2-3/4
London/Switzerland Fcs 17.34/36
London/Stockholm Kr 16.85-95
London/Denmark Kr. 19.32-19.36.
London/New York dol. 4.02-1/2 4.03 1/4
London/Montreal dol. 4.43-4.45
London/Amsterdam Fl 10.68.10.70
London/Java Fl. 7.56-7.62
London/Bangkok Tcl. 40
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Quiet.
Gold London 168-12-3
Gold New York dol. 35
Silver London 44d
Silver New York 70-3/4
London Discts 3 months 17/32 p.c.
London Discts 6 months 9/16-5/8 p.c.
Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent. Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.
Money:—Call 1/4 p. c., 3 Mos. 1/2 p.c., 6 Mos. 3/4 p.c. 12 mos. 1-1/4 p.c.
Tone:—Some Demand

SLOW TRADING ON LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, July 4.

Continued uncertainty regarding American loan to Britain has served further to accentuate the recent slow trading in the stockmarkets.

There was a tendency to mark down prices in early dealings, but this failed to attract any large scale selling and the market subsequently became steadier.

Initial losses recorded in giltedgeds in some cases caused recovery, while a number of issues showed gain on the day with activity attributed to professional and semi-professional operations which attracted a few small investors.

Scarcely any features appeared in industrials, apart some dullness in tobaccos, which reflected loan uncertainties.

Better feeling at the Paris Conference imparted brighter appearance to European bonds, which were occasionally harder.

South African goldmines were quiet, with lower prices attracting a few local buyers, while cape displayed later interest.

Prohibitionists Dream Of "Dry" America

Carefully Planned Campaign In Offing

WASHINGTON, (U. P. A.): The temperance organisations which brought prohibition to the United States a generation ago have begun a new campaign to turn the country teetotal.

This time, however, they are planning carefully to avoid the mistakes they made last time—mistakes which made their victory a comparatively short-lived one.

Their immediate aim is to secure Congressional approval of the "Voorhis Bill", now before the House of Representatives Agriculture Committee, which would put distillers out of business by withholding grain from all "Non-essential users".

"This is not a campaign against distillers" says Dr. Clinton Howard, Superintendent of the International Reform Federation. "To-day's emphasis in a starving world is on the need for grain for food."

But a spokesman for the distillers described the "Voorhis Bill" as "A sly and carefully organised campaign to bring prohibition in through the back door, using the food shortage as an excuse."

The long-range plan of the prohibitionists is to bring back prohibition step by step, progressing city by city and state by state until the job is done throughout the country.

Distillers and brewers—to say nothing of the consumers—are worried. The liquor industry is now limited to three days distilling a month and will lose even this if the "Voorhis Bill" is approved.

Bank Of Maxico Offers Gold Freely For Export

NEW YORK, July 4. (Reuter): The Bank of Mexico which now offers gold freely for export at the equivalent of 40.53 dollars per ounce appears to be the only Central Bank that offers gold for export to any purchaser. Accordingly the Bank of Mexico at present appears to be the world's largest gold seller with sales in one recent day reported to be over 5,000,000 dollars.

The official gold price in the United States is 35 dollars an ounce but prices in other parts of the world, especially in the east, exceed 75. The Bank of Mexico's gold stock rose from the end of 1932—39,000.000 dollars to November 1945—296,000.000 dollars with the latest figures to the end of April 254,000.000 dollars which equals about 7,260.000 ounces.

Mexican gold output during the war averaged 550.000 ounces annually which the Bank of Mexico regularly buys at an equivalent of 35 dollars an ounce. Gold markets appear to be developing in several latin American countries. The price in Buenos Aires, it is reported, equals about 50 dollars. After the recent unfreezing of her assets here, Argentina could withdraw 600 million dollars in gold but there is no indication that Argentina intends following the Mexican policy of free gold exports.

Nearly all latin American countries and some others have abnormally large dollar balances resulting from United States war expenditure. Because of the inability to buy American goods, a part of these dollars is being used for buying gold, but generally the balances are earmarked for deferred imports.

Mexico, however, has apparently followed the policy of withdrawing her favourable trade balance in gold from the United States. Nett export of gold from the United States to Mexico in 1944 approached 110,000,000 dollars.

Generally the United States treasury allows other countries to convert dollars freely into gold except for certain war restrictions on the theory that the gold might reach enemy hands. To most South American countries except Argentina, gold transactions were unrestricted throughout the war. The treasury sells gold only to other Governments or Central Banks: private ownership of unfabricated gold by United States citizens is banned. The U.S. Government buys all gold offered at 35 dollars an ounce and other countries offer comparable prices at the respective official exchange rates. But the "New York Times" recently remarked that this is only a floor under gold's price since no country will sell it freely at that price.

Kidnapped British Officers Tell Amazing Story

Were Shackled And Guarded By Hooded Men In Tel Aviv

The Sixth Airborne Division Headquarters, Palestine, July 5. (Reuter): Captain G. C. Warburton, Fourth British Parachute Battalion, last night told the amazing story of how he and two other British officers were kept for 17 days shackled and guarded by hooded and masked men "somewhere in Tel Aviv."

Captain Warburton said that that afternoon a hooded man wearing a blue sugar bag with eye slits cut in its over his head told him, Captain K. H. Spencer, Royal Artillery and Captain A. W. Taylor, Seventeenth Parachute Battalion that they were to be released.

"The guards brought in a wooden box and told us we would be removed in it", Captain Warburton said. "We hung around for more than four hours before we were blindfolded and ordered into the box.

"Rags soaked in chloroform were then placed over our mouths, but I did not pass out completely".

Captain Warburton said the box was then lifted by a number of men and dumped on a lorry.

"The next thing I remember was being dumped on a pavement, the lid of the box being lifted", he said.

"A voice said 'you can get out'." We got out and removed our blindfolds. There were hundreds of people around, but not a soul would come near us.

"We had no assistance at all. I ran after the lorry, but it escaped".

Captain Warburton described the terrorists' hideout where they were held captive in a filthy room measuring about 13 feet square. "There was no window and there was very little ventilation. They were guarded by shifts of four young armed Jews. One of the guards carried a "cosh" and three were armed with colt revolvers. "We will shoot if you make a noise", the guards warned the captive officers.

Sec. 144 In Ferozepore Extended

LAHORE, July 4. (A.P.I.): The Punjab Government have extended for two months the order issued by the District Magistrate Ferozepore under section 144 Cr. P. C. prohibiting the carrying in any public place of any arm or other article capable of being used as an arm within the Municipal area of Ferozepore city, the limits of the notified area of Basti, Tankanwali and the Railway lands of Ferozepore city.

The order issued by the District Magistrate on May 3 expires to-day.

Shops Raided And Unstamped Cloth Seized

LAHORE, July 4. (A.P.I.): The drive against the black market in cloth was continued on the fourth day to-day when the special Police carried out further raids on cloth shops in Anarkali, the centre of the cloth trade.

No arrests were made but a considerable quantity of unstamped cloth was seized.

CALCUTTA, July 4 (A.P.I.): Mr. R. O. Davidson has been elected to the Bengal Legislative Assembly from the Bengal Chamber of Commerce Constituency in the bye-election caused by the resignation of Mr J. R. Walker.

U. S. Has Not Sufficient Military Strength For Self-Defence

NEW YORK, July 4, (U. P. A.): Admiral Richard Turner, U. S. Representative on the Military Staff Committee, to-day said that America now has neither sufficient military strength for effective self-defence nor for providing power to enforce world peace through the United Nations.

LUCKNOW, July 4 (A.P.I.): It is learnt that 359 thousand tons of Ravi has so far been procured representing an increase of 12 thousand tons in two days. 55 per cent of the target has thus been reached.

DISPOSALS

CANVAS SHOES

The Directorate General of Disposals invites sealed tenders for purchase of all or part of the following, quoting per pair for each item separately:—

Stores	Size	Quantity
White Canvas Shoes, Rubber Soled	4	5,963 pairs
—do—	9	3,535 "
—do—	10	492 "
—do—	11	2,397 "
Brown Canvas Shoes, Rubber Soled	9	400 "
—do—	12	150 "
Brown Canvas Shoes, Leather Soled	10	50 "
—do—	11	75 "
Hospital Slippers B.T.	1	20,000 "
—do—	2	40,000 "

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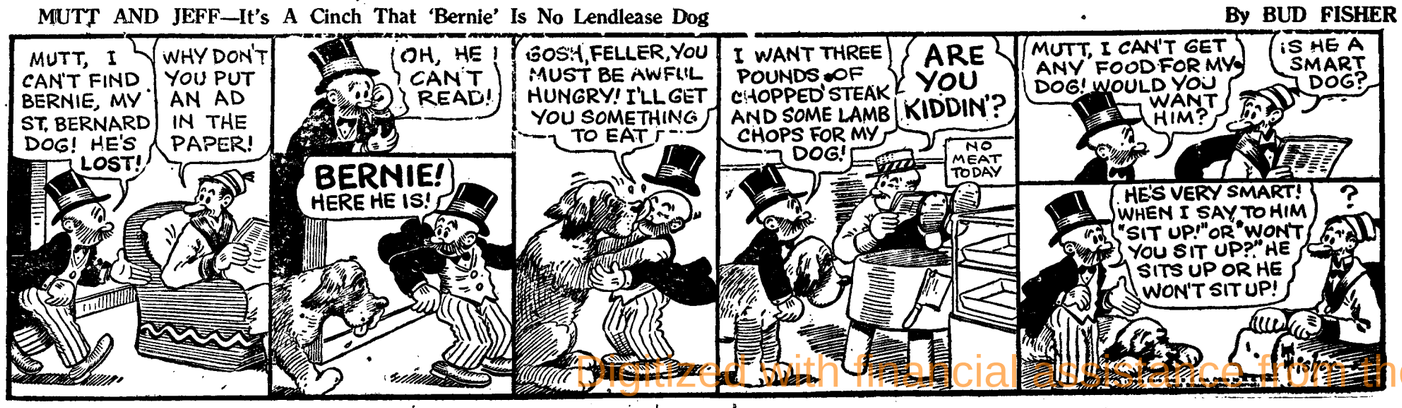
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PUBLIC NOTICES

ORDER

Civil Supplies Department, Bombay Castle, 29th June, 1946.

No. C.R. 81.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules, the Government of Bombay is pleased to amend, with effect from the 30th day of June, 1946, Government Notification, Civil Supplies Department, No. C.R. 81, dated the 4th May, 1946 and the Bombay Bread (Control and Maximum Prices) Order, 1944, as follows, namely:—

1. In Government Notification, Civil Supplies Department, No. C. R. 81, dated the 4th May, 1946, for the Explanation the following Explanation shall be substituted, namely:—

"EXPLANATION:—For the purposes of this Order 'fortified wholemeal wheat flour' means a mixture of equal parts of—

(a) flour manufactured from wheat after extracting therefrom bran in quantities the weight of which is not less than 14 per cent and not more than 15 per cent. of the wheat ground, and

(b) wheat flour of 70 per cent extraction as supplied by the Provincial Government, to which calcium carbonate as supplied by the Provincial Government has been added in the proportion of 1 lb. of such calcium carbonate to 640 lbs. of the mixture."

2. In the Bombay Bread (Control and Maximum Prices) Order, 1944, for sub-clause (8) of clause 2, the following sub-clause shall be substituted, namely:—

"(8) 'fortified wholemeal wheat flour' means a mixture of equal parts of—

(a) flour manufactured from wheat after extracting therefrom bran in quantities the weight of which is not less than 14 per cent and not more than 15 per cent of the wheat ground, and

(b) wheat flour of 70 per cent extraction as supplied by the Provincial Government,—to which calcium carbonate as supplied by the Provincial Government has been added in the proportion of 1 lb. of such calcium carbonate to 640 lbs. of the mixture."

II. With reference to sub-rule (1) of rule 119 of the Defence of India Rules, the Government of Bombay is pleased to direct that notice of the above Order should be given by—

(a) publication of the same in the Bombay Government Gazette;

(b) issue of a Press Note explaining its provisions,

(c) publication of the same in the following newspapers, namely:—

1. Times of India.
2. Bombay Chronicle.
3. Morning Standard.
4. Free Press Journal.
5. Nava Kal.
6. Nava Shakti.
7. Iqbal.
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11. Vatan.
12. Mumbai Samachar.
13. Vishwamitra.

(d) supplying copies of the same to—

(1) The Authorised Flour Mills.
(2) The Bombay Bakers' Association.

By order of the Governor of Bombay,
A. D. GORWALA,
Secretary to Government.
8804

NOTICE

THE PUBLIC ARE INFORMED that all our attempts to bring him round having failed, we have CANCELLED from 1/7/46 the Sole Agency of the GLOW SIGNS MANUFACTURED by us which was given to Mr. P. R. Bhide, Proprietor, Padma Publicity Service, Sardar-Griha, Bombay 2.

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2702

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

Department of Works, Mines & Power. Central Technical Power Board.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS

THE OFFICE of the Central Technical Power Board now located at No. 4 Hastings Street, Calcutta will CLOSE on the 14th of July, 1946 and RE-OPEN on the 15th of July, 1946 at

"CLEREMONT", THE MALL, SIMLA.

It is requested that all communications to the Board which cannot normally reach Calcutta by the 13th July, 1946, should be directed to the Simla address as above.

The telegraphic address at Simla will be

"POWBORD" SIMLA.

H. M. MATHEWS,
Chairman,
Central Technical Power Board.
8790

AGENCIES WANTED

Agencies for Malaya.—Ex-Vice-President of Indian Chamber of Commerce in Malaya has come to India to get agencies of Indian goods for Malaya on behalf of the Chamber. Concerns interested in giving agencies should immediately write to:—Mr. Jangi Ram Yadav, c/o. Prem Hotel, Muttra 2698

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BOMBAY.

NOTICE HAVING BEEN GIVEN of the loss of Policy numbered 111158 on the life of MR. FALI SORABJEE of Bombay, a fresh policy in lieu thereof will be issued unless objection is lodged with the Company within one month from this date.

Bombay, 4th July, 1946.
BYRAMJEE HORMUSJEE,
Manager.
2670

WHEAT FLOUR NOTIFICATIONS ORDER.

Civil Supplies Department, Bombay Castle, 29th June, 1946.

No. C. R. 68—In pursuance of clause 12 of the Bombay Rationing Order, 1943, the Government of Bombay is pleased to amend, with effect from the 30th day of June, 1946, the City of Bombay Rationing Regulation, 1943 and the Bombay Suburban District Rationing Regulation, 1943, as follows, namely:—

I. In the City of Bombay Rationing Regulation, 1943—

(i) the second proviso to clause 42 shall be deleted;

(ii) in clauses 46 and 48 for the word "wheat" the words "wheat and wheat flour" shall be substituted.

2. In the Bombay Suburban District Rationing Regulation, 1943—

(i) the second proviso to clause 55 shall be deleted; and

(ii) in clauses 59 and 61 for the word "wheat" the words "wheat and wheat flour" shall be substituted.

II. With reference to sub-rule (1) of rule 119 of the Defence of India Rules, the Government of Bombay is pleased to direct that notice of the above order should be given by—

(a) publication of the same in the Bombay Government Gazette;

(b) issue of a Press Note explaining its provisions;

(c) issue of a circular explaining its provisions to authorised flour mills; and

(d) publication of the same in the following newspapers, namely:—

1. Times of India.
2. Bombay Chronicle.
3. Morning Standard.
4. Free Press Journal.
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6. Nava Shakti.
7. Iqbal.
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9. Jam-e-Jamshed.
10. Janmabhumi.
11. Vatan.
12. Mumbai Samachar.
13. Vishwamitra.

By order of the Governor of Bombay,
A. D. GORWALA.
Secretary to Government.
8804.

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from BONA FIDE residents of the Bombay Province for one Government scholarship of the value of Rs. 75|- p. m. for practical training in Electrical Engineering and will be tenable in the Workshops of either the G.I.P. Railway, the B.E.S. & T. Co., Ltd. of the Tata Sons Ltd., Applications will be received from candidates who are holders of the degree of B. E. (Mech.) or B. E. (Electrical) of the Bombay University or the diploma of the V. J. Technical Institute Bombay or the degrees or diplomas from other Colleges or Institutions which provide courses equivalent to or higher than those at the Institutions mentioned above.

Preference will be given to candidates who have had practical experience in workshops and who have prospects of industrial employment on the termination of the scholarship. Candidates without workshop experience should not be more than 23 years of age. Those with not less than two years' approved industrial or electrical experience should not be more than 26 years of age.

Further particulars e.g. payment of premiums to the G.I.P. Rly. or the B.E.S. & T. Co. Ltd., etc. and the prescribed form of application can be obtained from the office of the Director of Industries, Old Custom House Yard, Fort, Bombay. Applications for scholarship must reach the Director of Industries by 20th July 1946. Those who have applied previously need not apply again. (8801)

THE B. E. S. & T. CO., LTD.

PAYMENT OF DIVIDEND ON PREFERENCE SHARES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Preference Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 18th July to 31st July, 1946, both days inclusive, for the preparation of Dividend Warrants for the half year ending 15th August, 1946.

Intimation regarding change of address should be notified to the Company by Shareholders themselves or their constituted attorneys immediately.

By order of the Board.
H. C. ITALIA,
Secretary.
6th July, 1946.
8802

PUBLIC NOTICES

THE AMBIKA SILK MILLS CO. LTD.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SEVENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the ABOVE COMPANY will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 11-12, Haines Road, Mahalaxmi, Bombay on SATURDAY, the 6th July, 1946 at 3 p. m. (S.T.) to transact the business stated in the Annual Report sent to the Share holders and as advertised in this paper of the 21st June, 1946.

By Order of the Board,
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Messrs. MATUBHAI KASANBHAI, MANHARLAL MATUBHAI and JASVANTLAL MATUBHAI as the Trustees of the Deed of Trust dated the 31st March, 1931 have contracted to sell to our client the undermentioned property.

All persons having any claim to the said property by way of inheritance, gift, lease, lien, maintenance, mortgage charge, sale, or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned within 14 days from the date hereof. All other claims, if any, which are not so received will be considered as null, void and waived and the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY:—

FIRST:—All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax land or ground with the messuage, tenements dwelling houses or Chawl, standing thereon situate on the East Side of Girgaum Back Road, otherwise known as Bhuleshwar Road in Bombay in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 541 (five hundred and forty-one) square yards or thereabouts be the same a little more or less and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Collector's Old No. 22, Collector's New No. 1676, Old Survey No. 37, New Survey No. 616 and bearing Cadastral Survey No. 2855, Bhuleshwar Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward Nos. 5662 to 65(1), Street Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the North by the Oart of Laud Bania caste, on or towards the East by the private passage of the Bombay Panjrapole, on or towards the South partly by the property hereinafter secondly described, partly by the property formerly of Girdhar Bhaidas but now of Jamnadas Nursey, partly by the property formerly of Shri Krishna Narayan but now of Yeshwantrao Ramnath, partly by the temple of Chintaman Gangadhar Joshi and partly by the property formerly of Kashidas Rajaram but now of Hirachand Nemchand and on the West by the property formerly of Dayabhai Judaram but now of Hirachand Nemchand which said premises are now in the possession of the tenants of the Vendors.

SECONDLY: ALL THAT piece or parcel of Pension and Tax land or ground with the messuage, tenement or shops standing thereon situate on the Bhuleshwar Road or Girgaon Back Road in Bombay in the registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 26.66 square yards be the same little more or less and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Collector's Old No. 222, New No. 1637, Old Survey No. 38 and New Survey No. 1 and 2|611 and bearing Cadastral Survey No. 2851 Bhuleshwar Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward No. 5656(2) and Street No. 4A and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the North by the property hereinbefore firstly described on or towards the East partly by the private passage of the Bombay Panjrapole and partly by the said Bhuleshwar Road and on or towards the West by the property formerly of Gordhan Bhaidas but now of Jamnadas Nensey and which said premises are now in the occupation of the tenants of the Vendors.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1946.

KANGA, & CO,,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

Address:—
Messrs. KANGA & CO.,
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Churchgate Street,
Fort, BOMBAY.
(8806)

PUBLIC NOTICES

R. A. PODAR COLLEGE OF COMMERCE & ECONOMICS, MATUNGA, BOMBAY, 19.

THE COLLEGE will start classes for the First R. A. Examination from the middle of July. The fees are Rs. 100,- per year. Candidates should have passed the Intermediate Examination in Arts, Science or Commerce. Applications for admissions should be sent to the Principal before July 7, 1946. (8777)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Messrs. KESHAVJI GOVERDHANDAS SHROFF and PADAMSEY HARIDAS GAGWANI, both of Bombay Hindu Inhabitants the proving Executors of the last Will and Testament of the late Vallabhdas Jethabhai Sampat have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having any claim of whatsoever nature against or to the said property are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Hamam House, Hamam Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY:

All that piece or parcel of land or ground, situated lying and being at Valnai in the Registration Sub-District of Bandra, the Bombay Suburban District, containing by admeasurement 41034 (Forty-one thousand and thirty-four) square yards or thereabouts being a portion of large Plot of Land, admeasuring 67553 (Sixty-seven thousand five hundred and fifty-three) square yards or thereabouts together with the messuage, tenements and building built and standing thereon and all the trees therein and wells thereon and bearing on the Talati's and Collector's Records Numbers as follows:

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32	8	1	1-2	7- 14¾

Dated this 3rd day of July, 1946.
AMIN DESAI & NANAVATI,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
(8796)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE VI, by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

PETITION for Succession Certificate in respect of Securities and debts belonging to WAGHJI PURSHOTTAM SOVALI Bhatia Hindu inhabitant of Bombay and Pandharpur, a Merchant by occupation, residing at Pandharpur District Sholapur and also at Bombay at 214, Walkeshwar Road ..... Deceased.

GOKABAI alias SHAMKUVER, widow of Sunderji Damodar, residing at Morarji Bhagwandas Sanitorium, Walkeshwar Road, Bombay ..... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Succession certificate.

Witness Sir LEONARD STONE KNIGHT, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this 3rd day of July in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six and in the Tenth year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

S. J. RAHIMTOOLA,
Prothonotary & Senior Master.

A. R. NARAYAN AYYAR.

The 3rd day of July, 1946.
Messrs. K. J. KALE & CO.,
Petitioner's Attorneys.
(8805)

AUCTION SALES

BONA FIDE SALE

AUCTION SALE TOMORROW (SUNDAY) at 10-30 a. m. Property of J. Phillips Esqr. and others at Chowpatty Sea Face near Vianellis Restaurant of complete household and office furniture, dining, writing, and dressing table, chairs, side board, show case, Chesterfield, zoonda almirah, bed, American and other safe, Singer machine, typewriter, Swiss Primaphone Cabinet, glassware, etc. T. 40213.

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C. B. MEHTA.
Insurance Agent,
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KHURSHED KHANUM, widow of Qassimali Jairazbhoy, HASANALI QASSIMALI JAIRAZBHOY, ASHRAFALI QASSIMALI JAIRAZBHOY and SULTANALI QASSIMALI JAIRAZBHOY, all of Bombay Khoja Muslim Inhabitants, the present Trustees of the estate of the deceased Qassimali Jairazbhoy and Nazirali Qassimali Jairazbhoy have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property of whatever nature are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Hamam House, Hamam Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

ALL: that piece or parcel of freehold land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon and known as "Khalakdina Terrace Annexe", situate at Gowalia Tank Road, in the Island and Registration District of Bombay and containing by admeasurement 3,432 square yards or thereabouts be the same a little more or less and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 7339 and Cadastral Survey No. 556 (part) of Malabar and Cumballa Hill Division and assessed by the Municipality under Ward D Nos. 2912 (1) and 2911 (5), Street Nos. 79, 81, 81A, 81B and 81C and bounded, on or towards the East by the property of Mrs. Khoorshid Khanum Qassumally Jairazbhoy, on or towards the South partly by the Public Road known as Tejpal Road and partly by the property of Gopaldas Tejpal Charity and on or towards the West by the property belonging to the estate of Khan Bahadur Haji Bachooali.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1946.
AMIN DESAI & NANAVATI.
Purchaser's Attorneys
8807

AUCTION SALES

SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTIES KNOWN AS "KASHANI" BUILDING SITUATE IN NANABHOY BEYRAMJEE OART IN THE LANE NEAR SODAWATERWALLA AGIARY OPPOSITE MARINE LINE RAILWAY STATION.
AND
AT 3RD MARINE STREET NO. 44.

Under instructions from Messrs. Vachha & Co., and Messrs. Wadia Ghandy & Co., Attorneys for the Vendors the undersigned will sell by public auction the following properties.

LOT NO. 1.

Sale on MONDAY, 15th July, 1946 at 5 p.m. ON THE PREMISES OF THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS "KASHANI".

4 pieces of land, adjoining each other together with the buildings standing thereon, situate in Sonapore Chira Bazar, Bombay, each piece measuring 15ft in breadth and 60 feet in length and which said pieces are respectively marked Nos. 11-12-13 and 14 in the plan of the said ground annexed to the Indenture of lease dated 24th February, 1866, and made between Byramji Jeejeebhoy of the one part and Nusserwanji Rustomji Karani of the other part and which buildings are assessed under New Survey No. 8424 present Municipal No. 7C Ward No. 2656, Street No. 6-8-10, Nanabhai Bamonji Oart.

LOT NO. 2.

Property at 3rd Marine Street:—

Sale on TUESDAY, 16th July, 1946 at 5 p.m. on the premises of the property.

Pension and tax tenure piece of land with the dwelling house thereon at 3rd Marine Street Bombay, admeasuring about 82 5/9 sq. yds. and bearing New Survey No. 83436 and Cadastral Survey No. 232 in the Bhuleshwar Division and Municipal No. 7 C Ward No. 2621, Street No. 44, 3rd Marine Street.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sales may be obtained from Messrs. Vachha & Co. Esuf Building, Churchgate Street or Messrs. Wadia Ghandy & Co. 123, Esplanade Road, Attorneys for the Vendors or from the undersigned.

IMPORTANT TO DRUGGISTS AND CHEMISTS:

SALE OF MEDICINAL DRUGS:

Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO. under instruction from Messrs. Gododia Bank Ltd. will sell by Public Auction on TUESDAY, 9th July, 1946, at 3 P.M. at their sale room the following:—

On account and at the risk of Mr. Chotubhai U. Patel, trading under the name and style of Messrs. Patel Brothers, Princess Street.

2 Cases Poison Procain Hydrochl, 4 Cases Quinine Bihydrochloride and 1 case Napta. Mercuramide Hydroxymeriporpasis.

On account and at the risk of Mr. R. V. Iyer of Chere View, Station Road, Dadar.

12 Cases Glucosal, Super Glucosol, Calci Glucon, Redistilled Water, Super Lactin etc.

On account and at the risk of Industrious Corporation of East and West Villa, Grant Road.

28 Cases Meta Tonic wine and 10 cases Spiro-chlore Bileventron, Super tonic, Super spirodin, Redistilled Water, Super lactodin and other drugs.

Full particulars may be obtained from the undersigned.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.
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